

# BIG SHIP WRECKED OFF MAINE

## GAMBLING AND BAD LANGUAGE

Flourish in Local Pool Rooms Where Minors Are Allowed to Congregate

Police Submit Reports of Their Investigations to License Board

Officer Leahey Criticizes Ticket Selling Arrangements at Local Theatre

Profane language flourishes and gambling is found in many local pool rooms, where minors are allowed to congregate, and poor ventilation conditions are also prevalent, it was stated last evening at the license commission session, where the results of sweeping police investigations of these places were given to the members of the commission. At one point Commissioner McGrath halted the testimony offered by police officers to ask what use the various charges were, when it had not been established whether minors at some of the pool rooms were there with or without the parents' permission. He expressed an opinion to the effect that improper in-

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## DAVIS LEAVES FOR U. S.

Retiring U. S. Ambassador to Great Britain Leaves London on Way Home

LONDON, March 9.—John W. Davis, retiring United States ambassador to Great Britain, left London for Southampton today on his way to the United States. Diplomats, government officials and figures prominent in the society of the British capital were at Waterloo station to bid him farewell. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will sail on the Olympic, J. Butler Wright, counselor at the embassy, will be in charge, pending the arrival of a new ambassador.

## TREATY WITH COLOMBIA

Pres. Harding Urges Ratification in Message Sent to Senate

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Ratification of the long pending treaty with Colombia was urged by the president in his first formal message sent today to the senate. Immediately upon receiving the message, the senate went into executive session, the usual procedure in taking up treaties. The text of the message was not made public at the White House, officials holding that it was executive business which could not properly be given out unless the senate had decided. The senate closed its doors without making the message public.

## FINED FOR ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR

John Spanis, proprietor of a store located at Moody and Prince streets, paid a \$100 fine for illegal sale of liquor today in the police court. He pleaded guilty to selling a bottle of "jungle" to a man working in conjunction with the members of the liquor squad. The Jamaica ginger, together with a bottle of ginger ale, were exhibited in court as evidence. The case of Joseph Chaput, charged with illegal keeping, was postponed to March 11, while Athas Pappas and Moustafa Arny had their cases continued to March 13 on the same charge.

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**J.A.**  
HAND MADE CIGARS  
IMMENSE!!  
Allis & Fisher Boston

**YUN HO**  
RESTAURANT  
Opposite Strand Theatre  
REGULAR DINNER 35c  
REGULAR SUPPER 35c

## DEATH LURKS IN MONEY GRAB

Children Killed as Result of Get-Rich-Quick Employers' Greed

Startling Figures Given by Department of Labor and Industries Official

Local Plant Complimented—Humane Conditions at the Hamilton Mills

Ten children were killed in 1910 by get-rich-quick employers, and 62 suffered amputation or loss of use of eye or limbs. These startling figures were given last evening by John P. Meade, a high official in the department of labor and industries in an address at Mill No. 7, of the Hamilton manufacturing company. Passing to humane conditions produced by employers interested in the welfare of the workers, he instanced the Hamilton plant as an example. Later the audience was taken through the huge mill, 800 feet in length, and the largest building in Lowell, and the system was shown whereby purer air is secured than can be breathed outdoors. Every bit of air that enters the mill is washed and loses all impurities before it reaches the workers.

As early as 1856, said Mr. Meade, there was established in Massachusetts a body then called the board of conciliation and arbitration, whose function was to bring harmony between the warring factions in industry, and to unite them under conditions of peace. Unhappily, production was the aim. "I think," said Mr. Meade, "that it is quite as important for the employer to have steady work as it is for the employee to have a chance for development, without loss of time. In 1895 a commission was established for the consideration of a minimum wage law, it

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## SEC. HUGHES STUDIES FOREIGN POLICY

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Questions affecting foreign policy are being carefully studied by Secretary Hughes, but no definite announcement with regard to them is anticipated for the present. It is understood that the Morris-Hidekara report on the Cuban land question, the Mexican situation and the status of the American troops on the Rhine are among the questions to which he is giving attention.

## STABBING AFFRAY CASE CONTINUED

The case of James Rallis, charged with stabbing Mrs. Stavroulas Galtus, resumed today in the police court. The case was continued to March 23, when it was stated that the victim of the crime is still at the Lowell Corporation hospital. The cases of Diamantis Potnas and Angelo Panakakis, charged with drunkenness, were continued to the same date, as they are also held as witnesses to the alleged stabbing. The story which the police have is to the effect that Rallis and some companions were wandering their way home, making the welkin ring with song and laughter, when an opprobrious epithet was hurled at them from a window in some Adams street house. The complaint was returned with interest, it is alleged, and soon the street exhibited the appearance of a Mexican revolution. Louis Stavroulas, husband of the injured woman, rushed forth to get his children out of the way of the battle whereupon he was struck by a combatant and fell to the pavement. His wife then rushed to the rescue and was cut severely by a dirk said to have been wielded by the defendant.

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**Moses Greeley Parker Fund LECTURES**  
THE OBLIGATIONS OF FREEDOM  
Frank B. Vrooman, New York  
HIGH SCHOOL, HALL  
Friday, March 11, 8 P. M.  
Admission to these lectures will be by free tickets furnished on request in advance. Application may be made in person, by letter or telephone to the Committee on the Moses Greeley Parker Fund Lectures, Lowell Community Service, Rooms 111-112, Merrimack Square, Telephone 8256.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
To the Council of the A. A. R. T. R.—There will be a meeting of the Council of the A. A. R. T. R. on Thursday evening, March 10, at 8 o'clock, at A. O. H. Hall, 149 Middle St. It is important that all Councils attend this meeting.

**Jas. E. O'Donnell**  
Counsellor at Law  
ROOM 220, 45 MERRIMACK ST.

## RULES BEER IS MEDICINE

Doctor Can Prescribe it Under Decision Made by Ex-Atty. Gen. Palmer

Wide Latitude to Be Given—Expected to Cut Whiskey Traffic

Government Without Power To Limit Sale for Non-Beverage Purposes

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The government is without authority to prohibit or limit the manufacture and sale of liquors, wines, or beer for non-beverage purposes, according to an opinion by the former attorney general, made public by the internal revenue bureau. The opinion, one of the most comprehensive dealing with the question of prohibition, expressly states that there must be no limitation on the use of liquors for non-beverage purposes except that prescribed by congress in limiting the sale of spirituous liquors to one pint for ten days. The question of limitation thus, the opinion said, is left to the good faith of the physician.

**One of Palmer's Last Acts**  
WASHINGTON, March 9.—Beer is a medicine within the meaning of the prohibition enforcement act, just as much as whiskey and wine, and under the law physicians may prescribe it for patients. This ruling, it became known yesterday, was approved by Atty. Gen. Palmer as one of his last official acts, but it was lost at the department of justice and was not discovered until yesterday, when it was immediately sent to the treasury for transmittal to

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## NOMINATIONS BY PRES. HARDING

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Three assistant secretaries of the treasury, S. Parker Gilbert, Jr., of Bloomfield, N. J., Edwin Laporte of St. Louis and Nicholas Kelley of New York, were recommended today by President Harding, in the course of which they visited relatives at Montreal, Three Rivers, Quebec and Toronto, Ont. At Niagara the women were the guests of Mrs. Dupont's brother, Mr. Hilare Lamoth, and her son, Mr. Emilie Dupont, both of whom are in the lumber business. They spent a week in the wilderness of Ontario, living in lumber camps among Indians, and they enjoyed their trip immensely. Mrs. Dupont reports that there is very little snow up north and that the temperature is similar to that of Lowell at the present time. Accompanying the women were Mrs. Dupont's daughter Jeannette and son Wilfrid, who will spend a couple of months in the Dominion.

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A Savings Account is your anchor to windward, preventing you from coming down. Those who save, succeed. Start your Savings Account now in this bank. You know this bank is under the supervision of the United States Government. Is almost 100 years old, and is a member of the Federal Reserve System.

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## CURFEW SILENT AS THE TOMB

Varnum School Bell "Speechless"—Loses Tongue in Early Morning Accident

School Occupants Frightened When Striker Hits Roof in Swift Descent

The pupils and teachers of the Varnum school were given a scare just as this morning's session was about to begin, when the tongue of the massive bell in the tower of the school crashed to the ground, breaking portions of the slate roofing and an electric wire in its descent. It rolled from the roof onto the piazza of a dwelling at 37 Myrtle street, but fortunately nobody was injured. "Varnum bell," as it is familiarly known to the school children and other residents of Centralville, has done duty for many years, and year in and year out has faithfully warned youngsters of the school of the city that school is about to start. The tongue of the bell is said to measure some four or five feet and had it struck anybody, serious if not fatal injuries would have resulted. Most of the children were in the schoolyard on the opposite side of the building when the tongue fell, when the school department was notified and the bell will be repaired in the near future.

## WORKERS BACK ON AUDITORIUM

Big Building Has Reached Point Where Beautiful Outlines Are Visible

Expected Liberty Hall Will Be First Part of Edifice Completed

The rat, tat, tat of hammers was heard again in the Auditorium Memorial building today as a group of steel workers returned to their work of riveting parts of the gallery of the big building. The work on the building has been held back as the result of a steel workers' strike originating in Boston. Today this had been settled to the extent that a number of the tollers were back on their jobs. The new building has now reached a point of construction which makes it possible for people passing along East Merrimack street to gain something of an idea of its noble proportions. It is heartily to be hoped that the edifice when it is completed.

The architect, Harry Prescott Graves, said today that an excellent site would be afforded opposite the entrance for the erection of an equestrian statue of Gen. Benjamin F. Butler, as has been suggested. On the entrance front the wall has been wholly completed up to the point where the frieze is to be placed directly under the edge of the roof. In fact the walls, except in Veterans' wing, are finished and ready for the roof to be built into place as soon as the surrounding frieze is completed. The frieze is to extend entirely around the building, just under the edge of the roof, and will carry the

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## FOR 44-HOUR WEEK IN PRINTING SHOPS

MONTREAL, March 9.—Adoption of the 44-hour week in all commercial printing shops in the United States and Canada, effective on May 1, is demanded in a resolution adopted here at the printers' industrial conference. Union officials said today that a number of commercial printing shops were already observing the 44-hour week.

**THIS WEEK**  
DEPOSITS GO ON INTEREST  
Open an Account  
Increase Your Account  
Any Amount From \$1.00 to \$2000  
Last three dividends  
at the rate of **5%**  
**CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS**  
174 CENTRAL STREET

## STATE OF SIEGE IN GERMAN CITIES

7000 Allied Troops Occupy Duesseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort

No Signs of Threatened General Strike as Outcome of Occupation

Theatres, Concerts, Etc., Closed—Newspapers Appear Under Censorship

DUESSELDORF, March 9.—(By The Associated Press)—Although 7000 French, British and Belgian soldiers were today occupying Duesseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort the people of those cities were proceeding about their usual affairs in apparent indifference to the presence of the allied forces.

There were no signs today of any immediate labor movement by German workmen as an outcome of the occupation, the effort of agitators to bring on the long-threatened general strike in protest against the imposition of the allied penalties having failed. This refusal of the workmen to strike, at least for the time being, is attributed by the leaders to poverty which would not admit of their existence without their daily wage. The temper of the laborers in the Essen district, however, is reported such that it is feared the agitation may develop a menacing situation there.

## State of Siege

DUESSELDORF, March 9.—(By The Associated Press)—A state of siege was in effect today in the territory occupied yesterday by allied troops as

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## SUDDEN DEATH OF OCTAVE RICHARDS

Octave Richards, aged 70 years, died suddenly at his home, 19 Eugene street, South Lowell, this morning. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons in Merrimack street, where an autopsy may be performed by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith. Mr. Richards was injured when a building crumbled on him while at work for a local contractor some four years ago and since that time his health had not been the same. This morning he arose as usual and partaking of his breakfast, was about to light his pipe, when he was seized with a hemorrhage. He died before medical assistance reached him.

Deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Virginia Green of Somerville and Mrs. Della Downing of this city; four sons, Joseph B. Pierre J. and Edward of this city and Manville Richards of St. Catharines, Que.; six brothers, Adrien, Louis, Pierre, Wilfrid and Joseph of this city and Onésime of Canada; a sister, Mrs. Pierre Chaput of this city.

**LEAK IN AMMONIA TANK**  
A leak in the ammonia tank of the refrigerator plant of George E. Putnam & Son in Market street this morning made things a bit disagreeable for a while. The leak was discovered at three 5 and 6 o'clock and before it could be stopped the store was filled with fumes that were almost suffocating, while the gases spread to neighboring shops. There was no actual damage done.

## MONEY and WINGS

Money has wings, they say, and flies away. That is true of the spendthrift's money, but the money of the thrifty which he keeps in the bank has another kind of wings, strong wings, eagle wings, to bear him upward towards success. Deposit your money in this Mutual Savings Bank where interest begins monthly and all are alike.

**MACHANES SAVINGS BANK INC.**  
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202 MERRIMACK ST.

## THE EPITHET OF "BONEHEAD"

Applied to Police Court Judge, According to Woman's Testimony

That's the Way, She Said, Husband Referred to His Honor

Told Court Her Lord and Master Threatened to Kill Her

"I'll kill you and bury you in the cellar, and then I'll run away to California where that old bonehead can't get me," said Manuel M. Bettencourt to his wife, according to the latter's testimony in the police court this morning. The epithet of "bonehead," explained Mrs. Bettencourt, referred to Judge Enright. His Honor willingly remarked that this was a new name which he could add to the things he has been called.

Mrs. Lena B. Bettencourt has been married to Manuel M. Bettencourt, she testified, for a year and a half. They have one child, and reside at Ducent. Recently, she said, her husband struck her several times while she was in bed. He also, she averred, held a knife to her breast, and enquired if she wanted "to die now?" During her testimony Mrs. Bettencourt wept copiously. She denied wielding a knife on her own part, and also professed ignorance of her husband's charge that she cast numerous dishes to the floor.

Her husband corroborated her testimony in part, but said that before he struck her she was flourishing a knife, which he relieved her of with injury to his hand. Then he delivered a blow. He hit her on the mouth with his closed fist, he conceded under cross-examination, but denied that he smote her more than once. Judge Enright held a conference with Mrs. Bettencourt and her mother relative to the most desirable disposition of the case. "I don't think," he said, "that I would do you any good if I sent this man away. It would do him a lot of good, but for your benefit I believe it would be better to have him contribute to the support of yourself and the child."

## ALLEGED ABDUCTION CASE CONTINUED

The cases of Louis Lafamme, 20, and Fred Richard, 19, both charged with abduction, were continued to March 30 today in the police court. Mary Flynn, 19, who fell or leaped from an automobile in which she had been offered a ride home by the defendants, is still in the Lowell corporation hospital. It was explained in requesting a continuance, Lafamme and Richard are out on bail, which was fixed at \$10,000 for each by Judge Enright when the case first came before the court.

## NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 9.—Exchanges \$550,320,738; balances \$61,459,218.  
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## DANCE WITH THE HUSH CLUB

**Tomorrow Night Merrimack Gardens**  
PRIZE WALTZ—PIVOTING CONTEST  
Minor-Doyle Banjo Orchestra featuring for the first time in Lowell Merrimack Gardens and The Frisco Song Whistle. Big crowd last Thursday. (Thank you.)  
ADMISSION 35c, TAX PAID

## ASSOCIATE HALL

**Tomorrow Night**  
**CAMPBELL'S BANJO ORCHESTRA**  
JAMES "ROUNDIE" ROANE In Latest Songs  
Same Orchestra as Saturday Night Admission 35c, Tax Paid

## Another Big Friday Night Attraction

AT ASSOCIATE HALL  
National Jazz Band of Boston—Seven Pieces  
TICKETS, INCLUDING TAX, 50c

## STEAMER MAY BE TOTAL LOSS

Wandby Crashed on Rocks at Walker's Point Off Kennebecport, Maine

Persons Familiar With Point Declare Vessel Cannot Be Saved

Steamer Lies Inside Bumpkin Island in Mouth of Kennebec River

KENNEBUNKPORT, Me., Mar. 9.—The big freight steamship Wandby, bound from Algiers for Portland, crashed on the rocks at Walker's Point off this port in a heavy fog today. She had apparently mistaken her position as her captain thought he was at the mouth of the Kennebec river, according to radio despatches.

The steamer whose master is Captain Simpson, cannot be saved according to persons familiar with the point where she struck. At low tide it is possible to walk within 20 feet of the rocks on which she was driven. As she grounded at 10 o'clock, the tide was within a little more than an hour of being high.

The steamer lies inside Bumpkin Island, in the mouth of the Kennebec river and Cape Porpoise. This is more than 50 miles to the westward of the Kennebec river. She is one and a half miles west of Cape Porpoise and about a mile east of the mouth of the Kennebec river.

The Wandby is a British steamer of 2580 net tonnage, built at West Hartlepool, Eng., in 1899. She is registered as being owned by R. Opner & Co., of West Hartlepool. She left Algiers light on Feb. 13 for Portland to take out a cargo of grain for an Italian port for Glasse, Leavitt and Company of Portland. The coast guard cutter Ossipee was expected to go to her assistance from Portland.

## THE CITY'S DEBTS ARE MOUNTING

Lowell is contracting debts much more rapidly this year than she did up to a corresponding period last year, according to statistics available at the city auditor's office. So far this year a total of \$150,000 in loans has been authorized by the municipal council in contrast with \$65,000 authorized up to a corresponding time last year. Two bridge construction loans have been authorized in the first two months of 1921, one of \$60,000 and the other of \$40,000. In addition a loan of \$50,000 for sewer construction has also been authorized. Last year the two loans which had been authorized up to this time were \$50,000 for sewers and \$15,000 for water works.

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**KASINO -- Saturday Night**  
Danny Duggan and His New and Latest Dancing Partner  
MINER-DOYLE'S ORCHESTRA



## West Virginia Mine War Smolders After Two Battles Are Fought



UNCLE JIMMY DAVIS, 73, WHO REFUSES TO LEAVE HIS HOME IN MINE WAR ZONE THOUGH WARNED AND SHOT AT. JOHNNY EVANS, 10, WHO WAS FIRED UPON. IRON PLATES ERECTED ABOUT A BED IN A STRIKER'S HOME TO PROTECT OCCUPANTS FROM BULLETS

WILLIS BEACH, W. Va., March 8.—The two-year-old mine war in this district smolders today.

The war began in September, 1919, when men of the Willis Branch Coal Co. struck for the closed shop.

Both union and non-union miners have been killed, their children fired upon, their homes riddled with bullets. Mine property has been dynamited and

the homes of mine officials fired upon. The Willis Branch Coal Co. is the only mining concern in this valley that has steadfastly refused to agree to the closed shop.

### Cross-Charges

Union leaders charge their organizers have been subjected to brutal treatment at the hands of private mine guards. Operators complain that non-

union miners have been interfered with by strikers.

Many battles have been fought. The most recent came in the middle of the night when thousands of shots were poured into the village from surrounding hills. Mine property and homes of officials were the main targets. One man was killed.

Small boys and girls of men known to be in sympathy with the strike have been shot at time and again. John Evans, Jr., 10, was fired upon while en route to the postoffice. The wife of a miner, with a baby in her arms, was shot at on the street, and another woman was fired upon as she stood in the door of her home.

Following the latest battle the village was practically deserted.

### Veteran Stars

The only resident who has not fled before the rush of bullets is Uncle Jimmy Davis, a mountaineer of 73, reputed to be one of the wealthiest men in the county.

Time after time he has been warned to leave, but he says he was born in the valley and will die there. Bullets have splattered into his home, but he has come through unhurt.

The biggest battle of the strike occurred last fall. Reports that private mine guards at that time used machine guns never were denied.

Trenches and rock barricades were established on the hillsides. Dugouts were made, into which non-combatants could flee. Inside walls of several homes were re-enforced with two-inch planks, the space between being filled with sand to stop bullets.

Many persons have protected their beds from bullets by placing quarter-inch iron plates about them. Both sides are waiting. The mines are temporarily shut down.

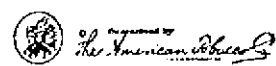
## Navy Breaks Distance Wireless Record

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—The world's long distance wireless record was broken by the United States navy, it was reported at the Goat Island wireless station yesterday by sending messages within three minutes from Cavite, Philippine Islands, to Washington, D. C., 1,000 miles.



### CIGARETTE

No cigarette has the same delicious flavor as Lucky Strike. Because Lucky Strike is the toasted cigarette.



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## TORCH BEARERS GIVE A DETECTIVE PLAY

"Room 1001" is the title of a play that was given presentation by the Torch Bearers' club of All Souls' church yesterday afternoon. It is a play that has been adapted from a movie film. It has only a few characters, but these keep the audience at the top-notch of interest as the drama develops. The plot is of the detective order, and the leading actors show some of the qualities that made Sherlock Holmes famous.

The cast was as follows:  
The Business Man... Stephen Mansur  
The Crook... Raymond Teller  
The Policeman... Joe Lindley  
The Police Sergeant... Donald McNelis  
The Detective... Walter Lindsay  
The Suspect... Paul Peirce  
The Three... Barrett Fisher  
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The restaurant scene: Stacey French, Richard Quimby and Richard Fletcher.

## THEN HE HAD NOTHING TO DO TILL TOMORROW

DOVER, Me., March 5.—When E. H. Morrill of Monson asked to be excused from jury duty in the supreme court yesterday, he told Justices Dunn that he was superintendent of the Monson railroad, was engineer, sometimes acted as fireman, conductor, handled some of the baggage and freight, did the book-keeping, looked out for the mails, sold tickets and swept out the station in Monson.

Judge Dunn allowed that it wouldn't do to hang up traffic on the railroad by having Mr. Morrill detained on the jury. He was excused. The Monson railroad is a narrow gauge road operating between Monson Junction and Monson.

### SHAWLS CAME FIRST

The shawl is the mother of all clothes. Before scissors were invented all humans, who were anything at all, wore shawls. The colder the climate, the larger and heavier the shawl. In the tropics the shawl was a fig-leaf size. The summer shawl is our apron. The toga, and finally the clothes of today emerged from the original shawl. Even as late as our Civil war men wore shawls for overcoats.

## MOTHER!

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Child's Best Laxative



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."—Adv.

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### WOMEN'S GLOVES

In strap wrist, chamousette, spring style, in sand and white; regular price \$2.00. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.50 Pair** STREET FLOOR

### MEN'S WHITE HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS

With colored initial; regular price 25c. Thursday Morning Only, **12½¢ Each** STREET FLOOR

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### ALL WOOL STORM SERGE

35 inches wide, pure wool, sponged and shrunk, good, heavy weight in the following colors only: dark garnet, dark green and tan; regular price \$1.25. Thursday Morning Only, **75¢ Yard** STREET FLOOR

### WASH SATIN

One yard wide, every fibre pure silk, in flesh color only, suitable for underwear, warranted to wash perfectly; regular price \$1.98. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.55 Yard** STREET FLOOR

### ENVELOPE CHEMISES

Fine nainsook chemises, trimmed with lace and insertion and embroidery; regular price \$1.39. Thursday Morning Only, **79¢** SECOND FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S SLIPS

Flannelette slips, blue and pink, with scalloped flounce, sizes 4 to 12 years; regular price 98c. Thursday Morning Only, **59¢** SECOND FLOOR

### Infants' Knitted Toques

In pink and blue wools, also silk; regular price \$1.98. Thursday Morning Only, **69¢** SECOND FLOOR

### WOMEN'S SILK HOSE

With hile tops and feet, full fashioned, double soles, high spliced heels in black, gray, medium and dark brown, and navy; regular price \$1.75. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.50 Pair** STREET FLOOR

### WOMEN'S SUMMER UNION SUITS

Fine ribbed cotton, low neck, sleeveless, band top, tight knee, sizes 36 and 38; regular price 95c. Thursday Morning Only, **95¢** STREET FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S COATS

Just nine coats in the lot, sizes 3 and 4, broadcloth and velvet; regular price \$9.98. Thursday Morning Only, **\$4.98** SECOND FLOOR

### Shoe Section Specials

#### WOMEN'S BROWN MILITARY OXFORDS

"Queen Quality," one pattern only, narrow toe and medium heels, most all sizes in the lot; regular price \$8.50. Thursday Morning Only, **\$5.49 Pair**

### Ribbon Section Special

#### STREET FLOOR

#### ODD LOT OF PLAID RIBBON

Special for sashes and hair bows; regular price 60c, 80c and 70c. Thursday Morning Only, **25¢ Yard**

## BASEMENT SECTION SPECIALS

**GALVANIZED WASH TUBS**, No. 3 size; \$1.50 values. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.19**  
No. 2 size; \$1.25 values. Thursday Morning Only, **89¢**

**BLUEJAP TEA POTS**, wicker bail, percolator insert; 49c value. Thursday Morning Only, **25¢**

**SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS**, cut glass bottles, aero metal tops; 98c values. Thursday Morning Only, **69¢ Pair**

**SILVER POLISHING CLOTHS**, 35c values. Thursday Morning Only, **19¢**

## Special Offering in Our Drapery Section

### Third Floor

**PORTIERES**—Dark green only, 23½ yards long, 40 inches wide, heavy tassel fringe at top and bottom, made of good quality azure tapestry; regular price \$8.98. Thursday Morning Only, **\$6.98**

**VELOUR PORTIERES**—Double faced combination of colors: blue and red, green and red, rose and blue, brown and blue, etc.; size 51 inches wide, 2½ yards long; regular price \$15.00. Thursday Morning Only, **\$32.00 Pair**

**CRETONNES**—39 to 36 inches wide, in light and dark colors, suitable for overdrapes or comforters, perfect goods, no remnants; regular price 50c. Thursday Morning Only, **19¢ Yard**

**TERRY CLOTH**—36 inches wide, double faced, suitable for couch covers, portieres or overdrapes; regular price \$1.49. Thursday Morning Only, **98¢ Yard**

**SCRIM CURTAINS**—Neat lace insertion and edge, hemstitched, made with valance, Dutch style; regular price was \$2.98; regular price now \$2.25. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.50 Pair**

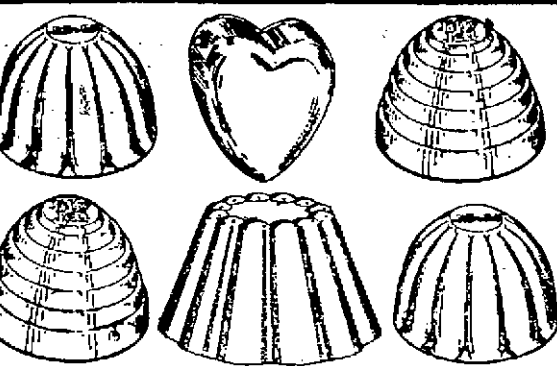
## WALL PAPER SPECIALS—Third Floor, Take Elevators

**ALL OTHER PATTERNS**—Room lots from 4 to 12 rolls. Originally priced \$2.50 to \$5.00. Thursday A. M. Only, **\$1.00 Lot**

**LIKE ABOVE**—Originally priced to \$10.00. Thursday A. M. Only, **\$2.50 Lot**

**ROOM LOTS OF WALL PAPERS**—Bedroom papers in lots from 6 to 12 rolls, nearly all with borders. Originally priced from \$2.50 to \$6.00. Thursday A. M. Only, **\$1.00 a Lot**

Bring Measurements of Room and Come Early



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To the users of Jiffy-Jell

Users of Jiffy-Jell are entitled to dessert molds. Above is a set of six individual molds. The six will serve a full package of Jiffy-Jell.

Send the coupon below, with six ① trade-marks cut from Jiffy-Jell packages, and set of six will be sent postpaid.

If you have this set, write for our catalog of pint molds, measuring cups, measuring spoons, dessert spoons, etc. They are all free to Jiffy-Jell users.

### The best dessert

Jiffy-Jell is the quality dessert. It is the only quick gelatin dessert with the flavors sealed in glass.

The fruit flavors are not artificial. They are condensed fruit juices, in liquid form and sealed. There's a bottle in each package.

The flavors are abundant. Each package contains the es-

sence from a great deal of ripe fruit. So Jiffy-Jell is rich and fruity. It is so much better for the children.

### No extra price

Jiffy-Jell sells at pre-war price—as low as it ever sold. It costs no more than like desserts with the flavors in dry form. So all this extra quality costs you no extra price.

Get it for the children's sake. It is the fruit that makes these dainties so healthful and delicious. Get the real fruit, not a mere fruit taste.

### Make no mistake

Be sure you get Jiffy-Jell. That's the only way to get these bottled fruit-juice flavors.

Get an assortment—have it on hand. Then cut the ① trade-marks from the package fronts. Send them to us for this set of molds.

We also make Jiffy-Pie, a new dessert, in two flavors—Lemon and Chocolate. Ask your grocer



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Waukegan, Wis.

Enclosed find six ① trade-marks, for which mail me the six molds that you offer.

10 flavors in glass vials  
Bottle in each package

**2 Pkgs. for 25c**

Give full address—write plainly.



## Wash Goods

**PERCALE**—Good quality, full yard wide, in a large line of very pretty stripes for Bungalow Aprons and Men's Shirts; 25c value. Thursday Special ..... **17¢ Yard**

**RIPPLETTE**—27 inches wide, in all staple stripes; 33c value. Thursday Special ..... **22¢ Yard**

**OUTING FLANNEL**—36 inches wide, just a small lot of extra good quality, in fancy stripes; 29c value. Thursday Special ..... **15¢ Yard**

**WHITE HAINSOOK**—Full yard wide, fine combed yarn, soft finish, easy to work on; 30c value. Thursday Special **22¢ Yd.**

PALMER STREET STORE

### APRONS

**Gem Bungalow Aprons**—Made of fine striped percale, low neck, short sleeves, belt and pocket with cap to match, trimmed with pink rack braid, extra large sizes; regular price \$1.40. Thursday Special..... **\$1.00**

**Dainty Allover Aprons**—Made of fine striped madras, low neck, short sleeves, elastic belts and pocket, large sizes; regular price \$1.30. Thursday Special **\$1.00**

**Princess Skirt Aprons**—Made of fine striped percale, fitted belts and pocket; regular price 50c. Thursday Special..... **39¢**

**French Dotted Veilings**—Taupe with black, lamp with taupe, purple with black, purple with purple, navy with navy; regular price \$1.50 yard. Thursday Special..... **\$1.00**

STREET FLOOR

### RIBBONS

**Hairbow Ribbon** in moire, tafetas and novelty stripes, all good shades; regular price 59c yard. Thursday Special **39¢ Yard**

**Roman Stripe Ribbons** for sashes; regular prices \$1.98 to \$2.98 yard. Thursday Special..... **\$1.59 Yard**

**Metal Bag Frames**; regular price 79c each. Thursday Special **39¢ Each**

STREET FLOOR

### STATIONERY

**One Pound Package Colonial Linen Paper**; value..... 50c

**One Package Envelopes**; value..... 20c  
Total value..... 70c

Thursday Special..... **50¢**  
STREET FLOOR

# A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

### LEATHER GOODS

**Velvet Bags**—In all colors, with purse and mirrors; regular prices \$5.00 and \$6.00. Thursday Special..... **\$2.98**

**Black Leather Bags**—In pouch style, silk lining, purse and mirror; regular price \$5.00. Thursday Special..... **\$2.98**

STREET FLOOR

### TOILET GOODS

**Ivory Pyralin Clocks**—Regular price \$4.75. Thursday Special..... **\$3.69**

**Glycerine and Koko Palm Soap**—Regular price 5c cake. Thursday Special..... **3¢**

2 for 5c

**Aladdin Dye for Georgette and Crepe de Chine**; regular price 10c. Thursday Special **3¢**

2 for 5c

**Quelques Violet and Ideal Talcum Powder**—Regular price \$1. Thursday Special..... **76¢**

**Nickel Holders for tooth brushes**; regular price 25c. Thursday Special..... **17¢**

STREET FLOOR

## Gingham Tie-Back House Dresses

**\$1.98**

10 dozen in the lot. Neat, attractive patterns in checked and plaided ginghams, prettily trimmed with rows of rick-rack braid. Made with becoming square necks, sleeves finished with pointed cuff, narrow tie-back sashes and skirts of generous width. Two styles to choose from. Sizes to 42. These little dresses are the very newest fashion for morning wear.

SECOND FLOOR

### WORK GLOVES FOR MEN

**Men's Heavy Canvas Gloves**—Leather faced with knitted or gauntlet wrist. Thursday Special..... **35¢**

3 Pairs \$1.00

**Men's Denham Leather Faced Gauntlet Gloves**—Thursday Special..... **25¢ a Pair**

STREET FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S DRAWERS

**Children's Drawers**, made plain with cluster of tucks, of very good quality cotton, sizes 2, 4 and 6 years; regular 29c value. Thursday Special..... **19¢**

**Children's Drawers**, hainburg and lace trimmed, good quality cotton, sizes 2, 4 and 6 years; regular 59c and 39c value. Thursday Special..... **25¢**

THIRD FLOOR

## Coats and Dresses

**17 WINTER COATS**—Prices from \$35 to \$45. Reduced to **\$15**

**6 PECO PLUSH COATS**—Former price \$40. Reduced to **\$15**

**4 SUEDE SPORT COATS**—Chamois lined; former prices \$40 and \$60. Reduced to..... **\$18.50 and \$25**

**\$35.00 GEORGETTE DRESSES**—In colors. Reduced to..... **\$15**

**\$45.00 GEORGETTE DRESSES**—In colors. Reduced to..... **\$18.50**

**\$3.98 ANGORA WOOL SCARFS**—Reduced to..... **\$1.50**

SECOND FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S

#### UMBRELLAS

Made of heavy umbrella cloth, paragon frame, Bakelite or natural wood handles with white and colored rings, black only; regular value \$2.50. Thursday Special..... **\$1.75**

STREET FLOOR

#### JEWELRY

**Watch Bracelets**—Black ribbon; regular price \$1.50. Thursday Special..... **\$1.00**

**Rosaries**—All colors; regular prices \$2.50 and \$2.75. Thursday Special..... **\$1.49**

**Bead Necklaces**—Assorted colors; regular prices \$1 to \$3. Thursday Special..... **50¢**

**Lingerie Clasps**—Regular price 20c. Thursday Special **19¢**

**Cuff Pins**—Regular prices 50c and 65c pair. Thursday Special..... **25¢ Pair**

STREET FLOOR

**Hair Nets**—Regular price \$1.50 dozen. Thursday Special..... **\$1.00 Doz.**

**Hair Pins**—Regular price 15c a box. Thursday Special, 3 boxes for..... **25¢**

**Orange Bowls**—Regular price \$4.50. Thursday Special..... **\$2.75**

**Footed Nappies**—Regular price \$3.00. Thursday Special..... **\$1.75**

**Fruit Bowls**—Regular price \$3.00. Thursday Special..... **\$1.75**

STREET FLOOR

### JAPANESE LUNCH SETS

Made of heavy material. Guaranteed fast colors, 13 pieces, 1 24 in. centre, 1/2 doz. 10 in. and 1/2 doz. 6 in. Doylies, 4 floral patterns, including the bluebird; sold for \$1.98. Thursday Special..... **\$1.15 Set**

PALMER ST. STORE

## Hosiery and Underwear FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

**Women's Fine Cotton Union Suits**—Low neck, sleeveless, cuff and trimmed knee, regular size only; regular \$1.15. Thursday Special..... **65¢**

**Women's Fleeced Vests**—Low neck, sleeveless, regular and extra size; regular \$1.75. Thursday Special..... **\$1.00**

**Women's Light Weight Pants**—Cuff knee; regular 59c. Thursday Special..... **25¢**

**Children's Light Weight Union Suits**—Dutch neck, short sleeves, knee length; regular \$1.00. Thursday Special..... **60¢**

**Children's Pants**—3/4 wool, odd size; regular \$1.00. Thursday Special..... **60¢**

**Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose**—All sizes; regular 50c. Thursday Special, 3 pairs..... **\$1.00**

**Children's Fine Ribbed Hose**—In black and white; regular 38c. Thursday Special..... **25¢**

**Women's Cotton Hose**—Black, white, cordovan and gray; regular 38c. Thursday Special..... **25¢**

**Women's Fine Lisle Hose**—Cordovan, full fashion; regular \$1.25. Thursday Special..... **75¢**

**Women's Half Wool Hose**—In black only; regular 38c. Thursday Special..... **25¢**

**Women's Wool Sport Hose**—Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25. Thursday Special..... **\$1.50 and \$1.75**

STREET FLOOR

### READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

**White Night Gowns**, trimmed with hainburg or pink embroidery, short sleeves, low necks. \$1.00 values..... **69c**

**Children's Flannel Bloomers**, pink or blue stripe patterns, cut full. 59c values..... **39c**

**Children's Dresses** of gingham and chambray. Pretty plaids or plain colors. Nicely trimmed. Sizes 2 to 6. \$1.50 values..... **79c**

**Envelope Chemise**, white and flesh. Lace or hainburg trimming. 79c values..... **59c**

**Sateen Petticoats**, black, plain colors, figured designs, deep plaited flounces. \$1.50 values. **\$1.15**

### BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

**Boys' Wash Suits**, made of gingham, galatea, linen, chambray, in light or dark colors. Sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. \$2.50 and \$3.50 values..... **\$1.29**

### MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION

**Work Shirts**, made in blue chambray and twilled kiki. Men's sizes. \$1.00 values..... **50c**

**Jersey Ribbed Union Suits**, for boys. White and silver gray. \$1.50 values 79c, or 2 for \$1.50

**Men's Silk Pleated Hose**, in brown only. Second's of the 59c grade..... **25c Pair**

# Thursday Specials

8.30 A. M. TO 12 NOON

## The Great Underpriced Basement

### SHOE SECTION

**Misses' and Children's Boston School Shoes**, dark brown lace, hi-cut, with brown cloth top, on good fitting last, wide width, all sizes. 8 1/2 to 11 and 1 1/2 to 2. Former price \$3.50. Thursday Special..... **\$1.98**

**Women's Felt Shoes**, with felt or leather soles; will make a good house shoe, all sizes. 3 to 7. Former price \$2.00. Thursday Special..... **98c**

**Women's Tip Juliettes** with rubber heels. Sizes 3 to 8. Thursday Special..... **\$1.65**

**Women's Low Cuts**, in pumps and lace oxfords. In this lot you will find gun metal and put. pumps, black and some tan lace oxfords, high or low heels, most all sizes in lot. Former price \$4.00. Thursday Special..... **\$2.50**

**Men's Knee Length Rubber Boots**, made by Hood. All sizes. 7 to 10. Thursday Special..... **\$3.95**

### SHOE SECTION

**Boys' Olive Ooze Shoes** with fibre soles, made by Hood Rubber Co., Goodyear welts. All sizes, 11 to 13 1/2 and 1 to 6. Former price \$3 and \$4. Thursday Special..... **\$1.98**

### KITCHEN FURNISHINGS SECTION

**Galvanized Wash Tubs**, largest size, heavy galvanized, with wringer attachments. Thursday Special..... **\$1.19 Ea.**

**Lenox Laundry Soap**. Thursday Special..... **6 Cakes for 25c**

**Floor Brooms**, good grade of corn stock, with 4 rows of stitching. Thursday Special..... **69c Ea.**

**Wizard Liquid Wax**, 1/2 pint size. Thursday Special..... **25c**

**Clothes Baskets**, oblong splint clothes baskets. 28 in long, 16 in. wide, 9 in. deep. Thursday Special..... **\$1.19 Ea.**

### GROCERY SECTION

**Fancy Maine Corn**, value 20c can. Thursday Special, 15c, 2 for 25c

**2 lbs. Sugar**,  
**1 lb. A. G. P. 36c Coffee**,  
**1/2 lb. 55c Tea**.

—ALL FOR 70c

### DRY GOODS SECTION

**Long Cloth**, 36 inches wide, fine underwear quality, full pieces, 39c value..... **22c Yard**

**Bed Ticking**, in mill remnants, firmly woven grade, staple and fancy stripe patterns; 20c value..... **15c**

**Mercerized Sateen**, in all colors, fine good wearing quality, remnants; 39c value..... **20c Yard**

**Outing Flannel**, heavy and warm, light or dark colors, mill remnant lengths..... **10c Yard**

**Amoskeag Ramper Cloth**, in remnants, light and dark colors, a fine, sturdy material for children's play clothes; 29c value..... **19c**

### DRY GOODS SECTION

**Plain White Hainsook**, of fine quality, a yard wide; 25c value..... **15c Yard**

**Amoskeag 32-Inch Gingham**, in good colors and designs, second quality; 25c value..... **15c**

**Barnsley Crash**, heavy and bleached; 29c value..... **19c**

**Turkish Towels**, size 22x24, all white, made of heavy double and twisted yarn; 59c value, **39c**

**Huck Towels**, of good size, plain white, 65c linen; 39c value, **22c**

**Hill Unbleached Cotton**, 39 in. wide, very fine quality, in remnants; 25c value..... **15c Yard**

**50 Dozen Pillow Cases**, made of good, firm cotton, size 42x36; 35c values..... **22c**

### DRY GOODS SECTION

**Linen Finish Suiting**, a yard wide, nice for children's suits, dresses, blouses, etc.; 29c val, **17c**

**Pillow Tubing**, 45 inches wide, good standard quality, in mill remnants; 39c value, at **29c**

**Twilled Cretone**, of good heavy quality, pretty designs, in new color combinations; 19c value, **12 1/2c Yd.**

**Yard Wide Silkline**, in large and small patterns, pretty colors; 25c value..... **15c Yd.**

**50 Pairs Wool Finish Twilled Blankets**, in gray only; \$1 val, **\$2.39 Pair**

**White Crochet Bed Spreads**, of extra large size; \$4.00 value, **\$2.89**

**Women's Hose**, fine quality, all black, seconds; 19c value, **10c—3 Pairs 25c**

## \$5000 for Capture of Assassins

CHICAGO, March 9.—Rewards of \$5000 were offered today by Alderman John Powers of the 19th ward for the capture of the men who yesterday shot and killed two of his political lieutenants, Paul A. Labriola and Harry Raymond. One man was under arrest today in connection with the case but police refused to disclose his identity. Four gunmen imported from New York were reported to have been connected with the shooting. Police were detailed to guard the home of "Tony" Girardi, another precinct captain, for Alderman Powers in the recent aldermanic election, when he said he had received death threats similar to those sent Labriola.

## Gambling and Bad Language

Continued

Instructions had been given to the investigating officers when their superiors advised them to keep their identities a secret.

The ticket-selling arrangements at the Strand theatre also came in for warm criticism. Police Officer Leahy declared that dissatisfaction existed relative to the manner in which admission tickets are sold. He charged that the manager of this establishment on various occasions declined to recognize his authority as an officer when he attempted to remedy conditions. According to Officer Leahy, the management of this theatre sells 35 cent tickets when there are no 35-cent seats, and the purchaser has to content himself with cheaper seats until there is a vacancy. The manager declared that no one is forced to buy these tickets unless he is willing to abide by the conditions. After the officer and the manager had indulged in some heated repartee, the commission requested the

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That give satisfaction, as we grow them. Now is the time to prune your trees. My nurseryman is at your service.

**McMANMON, FLORIST**  
14 Prescott Street

manager to reorganize his plans for sale of tickets.

**Poolroom Agitation**  
In relation to the pool room agitation, it has been felt by the police authorities that these places are often the headquarters of the city's most dangerous criminal element, and statements of this tenor have been made from the bench by Judge Enright in the police court. Officers John Lynch, Owen S. Conway, Mahoney and Wilson were detailed to comb these resorts, and last evening they presented a detailed account of what was found there, but failed to state if all minors found in pool rooms had the necessary permission to be there.

**Commissioner McGrath**  
"What is the use of the police officers bringing in charges," said Commissioner McGrath, "when they did not investigate to find out whether the minors had permission to be there or not. It looks as if the superior officers had not given the men the proper instructions when they told them to keep their identity a secret."

Nearly every pool room owner in Lowell had been held before the license commission on charges preferred by the police, and the conclusion of the testimony given by the men warned that repetition of their license would follow further infractions of the city ordinances. These require that no minor may enter a Lowell pool room

without a card bearing the written consent of his parent or guardian. This follows the state law, but the local authorities have imposed the additional restriction of making it necessary for the boy's parent to be thoroughly investigated by the officer on the beat, and to be countersigned by him.

Chairman Hanson of the commission explained that his investigation was made imperative by recent developments of criminal activity, and he declared his belief that such an investigation had been fairly carried on by the police officials prior to last evening's report and charges.

**Described Conditions**  
The officers visited pool rooms in

all parts of the city. They found, they stated, money games progressing, and they heard improper language being used with marked frequency. Minors were present in considerable numbers. In one establishment the sole means of ventilation consisted of a door transoms and a rear window. In one instance minors were amusing themselves by playing a game for money. A pool room located at Howe and E. Merrimack streets, came in for particularly severe condemnation. The officers stigmatized this place as a menace to the safety of the public, being dirty and poorly ventilated, and numbering among its clientele individuals who have often been

escorted to police headquarters. The owners who were present last evening made a general denial of violating the laws relative to minors. They contended that in all cases permits were possessed by all visitors under the age of 21. They also excoriated themselves of the implication of fostering gambling. Promises to better ventilation conditions were made to the commission.

Mr. Hanson issued a final warning to the owners, declaring that if they are again brought before the commission on charges of running their resorts in a manner contrary to the regulations laid down by state and city legislation, they will face a revocation of their licenses.

# IRISH Concert

Auspices Mathew Temp. Inst.

## OPERA HOUSE---SUNDAY

Lowell's Best Talent—Chorus 80 Voices—Elegant Costumes  
Prices: Afternoon, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c. Evening, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c

## Telephone 1962

Or if that is busy, call 5210 when you want dependable drug store merchandise. No soda, no candy, but a complete line of drugs, chemicals, toilet articles and sick room supplies. Prescriptions carefully and promptly compounded by experienced men only.

**Howard** Apothecary  
197 Central St.  
Closed Today at 12:30 P. M.

## Minerva Yarn Sale

Thursday—Friday—Saturday

Vicuna—Silk Mixtures—Shetland—Scotch—German-town—Thistledown..... **25c Per Ball**

## NEEDLECRAFT SHOP

27-31 Palmer Street















## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

## BOXING AND WRESTLING RALLY IN LAST PERIOD

Fine Cards Arranged by

Crescent A. A. and American Legion

Tomorrow night Billy Duffy of Everett, who has been making rapid strides up the pugilistic ladder of late, will appear in one of the most important matches of his career when he clashes with Jimmy Duffy of New York in the main event at the Crescent A. A.

The New York Duffy, who has been at the game for several years has met about all the leading lightweights and many of the best welterweights in the country and the Everett boy who will be bound to be kept busy with attractive offers.

The Everett lad only recently jumped into the feature event by defeating the New York Duffy in a five round bout for the past few years. "The big town" Duffy is out to maintain his standing and he will employ all his well known aggressive ability to knock out from when the final bell rings. Billy Murphy of Lowell, who fought a wonderful bout here a year ago when he won over Al Diamond, will return to the ring tomorrow night to fight Young McDougal of Boston in an eight round number. Young Christ of Lowell and Mike Malia of Boston will appear in another eight round event.

**Wrestling Card**  
The wrestling card announced by the Lowell post of the American Legion for the evening of Friday night is one of the most attractive ever arranged for a local show. Four bouts, all hummers, are on the schedule and lovers of the strenuous game are looking forward to a high class entertainment.

Gardini, the Italian champion, who is the possessor of a judoian belt, the gift of the king of Italy, is the most notable personage in the program. He only recently gave Strangler Lewis a hard battle in Boston, forcing the champion to work for almost two hours before he was able to win. He was planned to fight against the Turkish grappler, Jim Prokes of Lowell and Paul Rosenthal will appear in a main event. Flitting Mike of Lowell and Ted Apostoli will clash in another and Bob Johnson of the car shops and L. Chad will perform in the other event.

**Proposition From Valger**  
When Ralph Canney, of the Crescent A. A. was asked today if there were any developments in the Valger case he replied that while nothing had been heard from the boxing commission the club had received a proposition from Billy Gibson, manager of Valger, to fight him on Friday night here on March 10, providing the club could secure the hall for that date. He felt that to have Valger meet Drummond, but really consented to place a forfeit, sufficiently large enough to cover the losses sustained by the club. In the two shows which Valger has given he has promised to bring his man here two days in advance. This proposition, however, was turned down pending word from the boxing commission.

## SCOTT TO CAPTAIN BOSTON RED SOX

BOSTON, March 8.—Everett Scott, veteran shortstop of the Boston Red Sox, was named today as captain of the team, according to despatches received here today from Hot Springs, Ark., where the club is in spring training.

Additions to the holdout list are Elmer Myers who pitched victories for the Sox last season and Catcher Al Walters, neither of whom has signed a contract, but the appearance of both in training quarters is expected, the despatches said.

Allan Russell, the spitball pitcher who was out of the team last season because of illness, but who expected to be back with the team this spring, is still on the sick list. He is in Baltimore undergoing treatment.

## MORAN'S TRIBUTE TO GREASY NEALE

WASHINGTON, Pennsylvania, March 8.—Mr. Murphy, graduate manager of the Washington Redskins, has received a telegram from Pat Moran, manager of the Cincinnati National League team, from the training camp of the Reds at Hot Springs, Ark., in which he congratulated the Redskins and their coach, Elmer Myers, on their victory over the Washington Redskins in their last game. Moran, who has been here since 1919, has been one of the finest, squarest, most capable athletes in America.

## "BABE" RUTH TRIES ALL POSITIONS

NEW YORK, March 8.—"Babe" Ruth is doing considerable training at the Yankee spring camp in Shreveport, La., according to despatches. During the practice yesterday, Ruth, who is still a while from being ready to play, pitched a while, worked in center field, then went to bat, bunting, one run and two singles. He brought the day to a close by relieving the bat boy of his burden.

**GARDNER ONLY ABSENTEE**  
CLEVELAND, March 8.—Jerry Gardner, veteran third baseman, was the only absentee when the champion Cleveland Indians practiced yesterday at the spring training camp today according to advices received from Balites.

A thunderstorm handicapped the Indians practice yesterday but the athletes managed to get in an hour of throwing and batting, during which Joe Wood lifted the ball far over the left field fence.

## ROLLER SKATING

Tonight  
CRESCENT RINK

## BOXING

BILLY DUFFY OF EVERETT VS. JIMMY DUFFY OF NEW YORK  
Other Bouts

THURSDAY NIGHT  
Telephone Box, Carr's, 5588

Wrestling Carnival  
Legion Hall, Dutton St.  
GARDINI vs. HASSAN  
FRIDAY EVE., MARCH 11, 1921  
Admission 50c and 75c

## A. G. POLLARD BOWLING LEAGUE ENDS SEASON

Guillemot, Star Runner, Now in New York, Ordered to Rejoin His Regiment

The A. G. Pollard Co. Bowling League has closed its season, one of the most successful on record, and Team Four, captained by J. B. Lebrun, has captured the pennant. Team Two, captained by A. Leveille, is next in line. Lebrun also won the individual honors, with an average slightly above 200. Leveille follows with an average of 91. Plans are being arranged for a banquet to celebrate the completion of the season at which prizes will be awarded. A team made up of players from the shoe department has been challenged to meet a team composed of the pick of the grocers and the game will be rolled on Monday night.

**Final Games**  
Team 2—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 4—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 6—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 8—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 10—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 12—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 14—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 16—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 18—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.  
Team 20—J. B. Lebrun, 200, P. Murphy 234, G. Mailhous 238, Sub 217, A. Leveille 232; totals 1269.

## LOWELL GALEIC ATHLETIC CLUB

The Lowell Gaelic Athletic association will meet tomorrow evening in the quarters of the Trades and Labor Council in the city hall to discuss arrangements for the relief fund to be held in Hibernian hall March 10. All members having coupon books are asked to make returns tomorrow evening so that the fund can be closed and may have a complete report by Easter Monday.

## LOWELL GAS LIGHT BOWLING LEAGUE

The eight teams of the Lowell Gas Light league met on the footpaths at 10:15 p.m. last evening. The scores were as follows:  
Chemical Dept.—Pearson 271, Hall 248, Flynn 261, Manning 255, Cunningham 245; totals 1269.  
Repair Dept.—Connors 250, Ireland 238, Bradbury 261, Munro 273, Bourke 245; totals 1269.  
Jobbing Dept.—Brennan 265, Bailey 238, Kelly 276, Lebrun 266, Turner 245; totals 1269.  
Power Dept.—Peters 229, McQuillan 257, Compie 233, Conley 256, Donahue 257; totals 1269.  
Coke and Streets—Jenay 256, McQuillan 257, Compie 233, Conley 256, Donahue 257; totals 1269.

## GOLF CLUB MEETING

Members of the Mt. Pleasant Golf Club held their 11th annual meeting in the quarters of the club on Tuesday evening. The evening's festivities were presided over by President William H. Wilson, who briefly reviewed the work of the organization during the past year. George Q. R. Halliwell, treasurer, submitted his report, which showed the organization to be in good financial standing. A feature of the evening was the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

President, William H. Wilson; vice president, C. B. Abbott; secretary, William H. Wilson; treasurer, George Q. R. Halliwell; directors, Thomas Southam, James S. Hanson and Walter Jewett.

Henry Reynolds, chairman of the tournament committee, made the presentation of prizes as follows: Gillespie shield, Walter Jewett; club cup, and president's cup, Henry J. Thompson.

Special Memorial day shaving set, Herbert J. McKenzies; July 4 tournament, George Q. R. Halliwell; Labor day tournament, casserole set, J. H. Martin; and Columbus day tournament, R. K. Southern.

The team members follow:  
Blue team: F. E. Boyle, captain; Henry Reynolds, G. R. Halliwell, J. S. Hanson, F. W. Willard, Raymond Reynolds, A. E. Howard, J. E. Carroll, J. P. Brocklehurst, J. T. Tucker, J. P. Meany, Adam Myrick, H. P. Piper, Jr., C. W. Halstead, F. D. Langgryn, Walter Jewett, W. M. Sherwell, W. T. Martel, J. A. Handley, T. J. Ward, H. J. Thompson, G. H. Done.

**REDS IN FIRST GAME**  
CINCINNATI, March 8.—Reports from the training camp of the Cincinnati Reds at Chico, Tex., say the players are all set for the first lineup of the season today when the team will receive their initial test in a real baseball game.

The first game will go only five or six innings, and Manager Moran says he will not send any pitcher more than three rounds as a starter.

Maxwell Felix, the big first baseman, is nursing a sore toe and will not appear in the first game.

## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

TOM, I JUST BOUGHT A NEW HAT! ISN'T IT A PEACH? I'M JUST CRAZY ABOUT IT! IT'S STRICTLY A PATTERN HAT!

IT LOOKS ALL RIGHT! SUPPOSE WE HAVE TO STAY DOWN TO DINNER NOW TO SHOW IT OFF!

I'M AWFULLY HUNGRY, TOM—HOW FAR CAN I GO?

GO AS FAR AS YOU LIKE—I'M FLUSH TONIGHT!

OH! LOOK, TOM! THERE'S A WOMAN OVER THERE WITH A HAT JUST LIKE MINE!

WHAT DO YOU CARE, GO AHEAD AND EAT YOUR DINNER!

I CAN'T EAT! I'VE LOST MY APPETITE!

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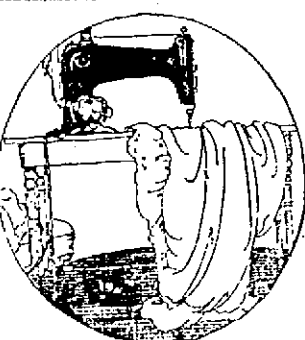
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W. J. Peab, Jr., Red team; J. P. Grant, captain; C. B. Abbott, Dr. H. B. Davis, J. M. Washburn, E. C. Dunbar, D. H. Munroe, Thomas Southam, J. J. Ward, Herbert McKenzies, J. C. Farrington, K. H. Dunlap, A. R. Amistead, W. H. Wilson, Hanson Gray, Benton Mills, E. J. Navery, G. H. Townsend, C. R. Mills, E. A. Wilson, C. T. Douglas, S. B. Reed, D. A. Provost, R. S. Robertson, J. P. Gillespie, G. Purpas, W. W. Raulinsson, G. L. Miller, M. Marks, M. C. Smith, G. W. Hanger, G. Goodyear, B. R. Johnson, A. R. Kirkland.

The tournament committee was as follows: Henry Reynolds, chairman; J. P. Gillespie, Benton Mills, J. J. Ward, Thompson, P. Langevin, R. S. Robertson, T. J. Ward and E. J. Navery.

The Apollo 110, consisting of Frank Cummings, Charles Clancy and Paul Le Clair furnished a very enjoyable program of entertainment.

## BASKETBALL CHALLENGE

Sporting Editor of the Sun:

I would like to take space on your sporting page to publish my challenge.

As manager of the Fairwinds, I would like to put my boys against any of the best teams around the city. Having played four games so far this season and only losing one isn't such a bad record. We played the Rangers of Roxbury and defeated them by the score of 16 to 12, beat the Lawrence Independents 17 to 6, and the Chelsea Five, 23 to 40 only defeat of the season was when the Pinhursts of Franklin beat us 15 to 12 in an overtime game. In this game Jones, our star forward, sustained a fractured leg.

I came to the conclusion that challenging through the paper is the only way to obtain results. The past week I phoned four different managers and they all had some alibi to offer.

We have no game for this week, and would like to hear from any of the following: The C.M.A.C., Sacred Hearts, O.M.I., Cadets, or any other local five.

The following players are requested to report at the gym Thursday night for practice: Jones, Clavin, Kilroy, Rogers, Walsh, O'Connor and Shinkwin.

P. S. Would like to hear from the C.M.A.C. first.

B.H.J. SHINKWIN, Mgr.

## LONGSHADOW GOLF CLUB

Committees to consider the advisability of increasing the club's fees and of erecting a new clubhouse were appointed at the annual meeting of the Longshadow Golf Club held late yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the chamber of commerce.

Both propositions are subjects of wide interest among the members, and the committee were instructed to report at a special meeting to be held March 15 at 8

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2000 YARDS LACE and HAMBURG INSERTION, worth 25c yard..... 5c Yard

50 DOZEN BURSON HOSE, ladies', white feet, from 55c to 39c each..... 25c

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HAVERHILL BOY OF 17  
VICE CONSUL IN SPAIN

HAVERHILL, March 9.—It is a long step from graduating from a high school last June to serving as vice-consul for the United States at Madrid, Spain, in less than six months, yet that is the step that Henry Pickard of this city has taken and he has made good on the job.

Young Pickard is 17 years old, and his official title is American assistant to the consul at Madrid. He, however, performs all the duties of vice-consul, his age alone preventing the state department from appointing him to that position.

Joseph E. Willard is the American ambassador to Spain and Ely Palmer of Providence serves under Mr. Willard as the consul at Madrid, and they both speak in the highest praise of the work of the Haverhill boy.

Henry Pickard is the second oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Rickard and the fourth of a family of eight children which consists of five boys and three girls. The father, Edward M. Rickard, is one of the leading shoe manufacturers of this city and is widely known in the shoe trade throughout the country.

The elder Mr. Rickard was formerly in the shoe business in Lynn but removed to Haverhill about eight years ago. It was in Lynn that Henry as a boy received his early schooling, and when the family moved to Haverhill he attended the Thomas B. Burnham Grammar school and entered the high school, graduating last June.

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TWO ENORMOUS FEET APPEARED AT ONCE

"What is it, my dears?" asked the Fairy Queen as Nancy and Nick stood before her.

"We hear that the circus animals have escaped," answered Nick, importantly. "Any way we got 'em'?"

"Good gracious!" exclaimed the Fairy Queen. "You speak as though you were going to the store for a dozen eggs. Do you know what you are asking?"

"Yes," it was Nancy's turn to answer eagerly. "We wish to go after the elephant and rhinoceros and giraffe and bring them back."

"In your pocket, I suppose," smiled the Fairy Queen.

"No, indeed!" cried the twins. "Can't they walk?"

The Fairy Queen sighed. "Yes, indeed, and swim, and fly, and what not? How else could they have got across the ocean thousands of miles away?"

The giraffe must have a dreadful cramp in his neck trying to hold his chin up out of the water. He's so tall he can easily walk across. But if a

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storm came up, I'm not sure that—"

"I gave the children the magical green shoes, your highness. And I told them that no doubt you would send a guide to help them. I cannot go, but I shall give them a piece of my hat, which will help them to understand any kind of creature talk."

"Very good," approved the Fairy Queen. "Yes, children, you may go, as you have been such good helpers every where I have sent you. Let me see! Suppose I sent Filpety-Flap with you. He can tell the circus animals from the others, and may be useful on account of his feet. He's the best traveling fairy I've got, as he can go so far in one step. Mr. Filpety, come here, please," she called.

Filpety-Flap appeared at once or rather two enormous feet appeared at once, with a tiny fairyman on top of them.

"Howdy, everybody," he said, pleasantly. (To Be Continued)

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It happened just before the new year that Consul Palmer at Madrid needed an assistant, the vice-consul having resigned, and the Haverhill boy applied for the position sending home for references after filling his application.

The action of their son in seeking a position in the diplomatic service was a surprise to his parents and while they had simply sent Rickard and his sister abroad to study, they heartily approved his laudible ambition and his appointment as American assistant followed.

Letters from the Ambassador Willard and Consul Palmer show that Young Rickard has more than made good, and their recommendations to the state department that he be appointed vice-consul at Madrid failed of approval at first because the Haverhill boy lacks four years of his majority.

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# West Virginia Mine War Smolders After Two Battles Are Fought



UNCLE JIMMY DAVIS, 73, WHO REFUSES TO LEAVE HIS HOME IN MINE WAR ZONE THOUGH WARNED AND SHOT AT. JOHNNY EVANS, 16, WHO WAS FIRED UPON. IRON PLATES ERECTED ABOUT A BED IN A STRIKER'S HOME TO PROTECT OCCUPANTS FROM BULLETS

WILLIS BEACH, W. Va., March 2.—The two-year-old mine war in this district smoldered today.

The war began in September, 1919, when men of the Willis Branch Coal Co. struck for the closed shop.

Both union and non-union miners have been killed, their children fired upon, their homes riddled with bullets. Mine property has been dynamited and the homes of mine officials fired upon.

The Willis Branch Coal Co. is the only mining concern in this valley that has steadfastly refused to agree to the closed shop.

Cross-Charges

Union leaders charge their organizations have been subjected to brutal treatment at the hands of private mining guards. Operators complain that non-

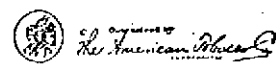
## Navy Breaks Distance Wireless Record

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—The world's long distance wireless record was broken by the United States navy, it was reported at the Goat Island wireless station yesterday by sending messages within three minutes from Cavite, Philippine Islands, to Washington, D. C., 10,000 miles.



### CIGARETTE

No cigarette has the same delicious flavor as Lucky Strike. Because Lucky Strike is the toasted cigarette.



union miners have been interfered with by strikers.

Many battles have been fought. The most recent came in the middle of the night when thousands of shots were poured into the village from surrounding hills. Mine property and homes of officials were the main targets. One man was killed.

Small boys and girls of men known to be in sympathy with the strike have been shot at time and again. John Evans, Jr., 10, was fired upon while en route to the postoffice. The wife of a miner, with a baby in her arms, was shot at on the street, and another woman was fired upon as she stood in the door of her home.

Following the latest battle the village was practically deserted.

### Veteran Strays

The only resident who has not fled before the rush of bullets is Uncle Jimmy Davis, a mountaineer of 73, reputed to be one of the wealthiest men in the county.

Time after time he has been warned to leave, but he says he was born in the valley and will die there. Bullets have splattered into his home, but he has come through unhurt.

The biggest battle of the strike occurred last fall. Reports that private mine guards at that time used machine guns never were denied.

Trenches and rock barricades were established on the hillsides. Dugouts were made into which non-combatants could flee. Inside walls of several homes were reinforced with two-inch planks, the space between being filled with sand to stop bullets.

Many persons have protected their beds from bullets by placing quarter-inch iron plates about them.

Both sides now are waiting. The mines are temporarily shut down.

## TORCH BEARERS GIVE A DETECTIVE PLAY

"Room 1301" is the title of a play that was given presentation by the Torch Bearers' club of All Souls' church yesterday afternoon. It is a play that has been adapted from a movie film. It has only a few characters, but these keep the audience at the top-notch of interest as the drama develops. The plot is of the detective order, and the leading actors show some of the qualities that made Sherlock Holmes famous.

The cast was as follows:  
The Business Man... Stephen Mansur  
The Crook... Raymond Teller  
The Policeman... Joe Lindsey  
The Police Sergeant... Donald McInnis  
The Detective... Walter Lindsey  
The Suspect... Paul Petrie  
The Three Caterers... Barrett Fisher  
The three caterers in the background of the restaurant scene: Stacey French, Richard Quimby and Richard Fletcher.

## THEN HE HAD NOTHING TO DO TILL TOMORROW

DOVER, Me., March 2.—When F. H. Morrill of Monson asked to be excused from jury duty in the supreme court yesterday, he told Justice Dunn that he was superintendent of the Monson railroad, was engineer, sometimes acted as fireman, conductor, handled some of the baggage and freight, did the book-keeping, looked out for the mails, sold tickets and swept out the station in Monson.

Judge Dunn allowed that it wouldn't do to hang up traffic on the railroad by having Mr. Morrill detained on the jury. He was excused. The Monson railroad is a narrow gauge road operating between Monson Junction and Monson.

### SHAWLS CAME FIRST

The shawl is the mother of all clothes. Before scissors were invented all humans, who wore anything at all, wore shawls. The colder the climate, the larger and heavier the shawl. In the tropics the shawl was of light size. The summer shawl in our sheet. The toga, and finally the clothes of today emerged from the original shawl. Even as late as our Civil war men wore shawls for overcoats.

## MOTHER!

"California Syrup of Figs"  
Child's Best Laxative.



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruit taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California"—Adv.

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Bought on Thursday  
Morning Only at These  
Prices.

*The Bon Marche*  
DRY GOODS CO.

We strive to make this store a place where your ideas of merchandise and service are realized.

STORE CLOSURE AT 12 M. THURSDAY—CLERKS' HALF HOLIDAY

# THURSDAY MORNING SPECIALS

On Sale Tomorrow Morning Only

### WOMEN'S GLOVES

In strap wrist, chamoisette, spring style, in sand and white; regular price \$2.00. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.50 Pair** STREET FLOOR

### MEN'S WHITE HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS

With colored initial; regular price 25c. Thursday Morning Only, **12 1/2c Each** STREET FLOOR

### VALENCIENNES LACE INSERTION

Regular prices 6c to 10c yard Thursday Morning Only, **1c Yard** STREET FLOOR

### ALL WOOL STORM SERGE

38 inches wide, pure wool, sponged and shrunk, good, heavy weight in the following colors only: dark garnet, dark green and tan; regular price \$1.25. Thursday Morning Only, **75c Yard** STREET FLOOR

### WASH SATIN

One yard wide, every fibre pure silk, in flesh color only, suitable for underwear, warranted to wash perfectly; regular price \$1.98. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.55 Yard** STREET FLOOR

### ENVELOPE CHEMISES

Fine nainsook chemises, trimmed with lace and insertion and embroidery; regular price \$1.39. Thursday Morning Only, **79c** SECOND FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S SLIPS

Flannelette slips, blue and pink, with scalloped flounce, sizes 4 to 12 years; regular price 95c. Thursday Morning Only, **59c** SECOND FLOOR

### Infants' Knitted Toques

In pink and blue woolsens, also silk; regular price \$1.98. Thursday Morning Only, **69c** SECOND FLOOR

### WOMEN'S SILK HOSE

With lisle tops and feet, full fashioned, double soles, high spliced heels in black, gray, medium and dark brown, and navy; regular price \$1.75. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.50 Pair** STREET FLOOR

### WOMEN'S SUMMER UNION SUITS

Fine ribbed cotton, low neck, sleeveless, band top, tight knee, sizes 36 and 38; regular price 95c. Thursday Morning Only, **85c** STREET FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S COATS

Just nine coats in the lot, sizes 3 and 4, broadcloth and velvet; regular price \$9.98. Thursday Morning Only, **\$4.98** SECOND FLOOR

### Shoe Section Specials STREET FLOOR

#### WOMEN'S BROWN MILITARY OXFORDS

"Queen Quality," one pattern only, narrow toe and medium heels, most all sizes in the lot; regular price \$5.50. Thursday Morning Only, **\$5.49 Pair**

### Ribbon Section Special STREET FLOOR

#### ODD LOT OF PLAID RIBBON

Special for sashes and hair bows; regular price 50c, 60c and 70c. Thursday Morning Only, **25c Yard**

## BASEMENT SECTION SPECIALS

GALVANIZED WASH TUBS, No. 3 size; \$1.50 values. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.19**

No. 2 size; \$1.25 values. Thursday Morning Only, **89c**

BLUEJAP TEA POTS, wicker bail, porcelain insert; 49c value. Thursday Morning Only, **25c**

SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS, cut glass bottles, new metal tops; 88c values. Thursday Morning Only, **69c Pair**

SILVER POLISHING CLOTHS, 35c values. Thursday Morning Only, **19c**

## Special Offering in Our Drapery Section

—Third Floor—

PORTIERES—Dark green only, 2 1/2 yards long, 40 inches wide, heavy tassels fringe at top and bottom, made of good quality armure tapestry; regular price \$8.98. Thursday Morning Only, **\$6.98**

VELOUR PORTIERES—Double faced combination of colors: blue and red, green and red, rose and blue, brown and blue, etc.; size 51 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long; regular price \$45.00. Thursday Morning Only, **\$32.00 Pair**

CRETONNES—30 to 36 inches wide, in light and dark colors, suitable for overdrapes or comforters, perfect goods, no remnants; regular price 50c. Thursday Morning Only, **19c Yard**

TERRY CLOTH—36 inches wide, double faced, suitable for couch covers, portieres or overdrapes; regular price \$1.48. Thursday Morning Only, **98c Yard**

SCRIM CURTAINS—Neat lace insertion and edge, hemstitched, made with valance, Dutch style; regular price was \$2.95; regular price now \$2.25. Thursday Morning Only, **\$1.50 Pair**

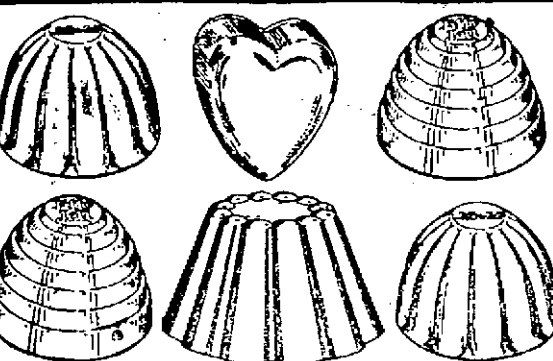
## WALL PAPER SPECIALS—Third Floor, Take Elevators

ALL OTHER PATTERNS—Room lots from 4 to 12 rolls. Originally priced \$2.50 to \$5.00. Thursday A. M. Only, **\$1.00 Lot**

LIKE ABOVE—Originally priced to \$10.00. Thursday A. M. Only, **\$2.50 Lot**

ROOM LOTS OF WALL PAPERS—Bedroom papers in lots from 6 to 12 rolls, nearly all with borders. Originally priced from \$2.50 to \$6.00. Thursday A. M. Only, **\$1.00 a Lot**

Bring Measurements of Room and Come Early



## One Set Free

To the users of Jiffy-Jell

Users of Jiffy-Jell are entitled to dessert molds. Above is a set of six individual molds. The six will serve a full package of Jiffy-Jell.

If you have this set, write for our catalog of pint molds, measuring cups, measuring spoons, dessert spoons, etc. They are all free to Jiffy-Jell users.

### The best dessert

Jiffy-Jell is the quality dessert. It is the only quick gelatin dessert with the flavors sealed in glass.

The fruit flavors are not artificial. They are condensed fruit juices, in liquid form and sealed. There's a bottle in each package.

The flavors are abundant. Each package contains the es-

sence from a great deal of ripe fruit. So Jiffy-Jell is rich and fruity. It is so much better for the children.

### No extra price

Jiffy-Jell sells at pre-war price—as low as it ever sold. It costs no more than like desserts with the flavors in dry form. So all this extra quality costs you no extra price.

Get it for the children's sake. It is the fruit that makes these dainties so healthful and delicious. Get the real fruit, not a mere fruit taste.

### Make no mistake

Be sure you get Jiffy-Jell. That's the only way to get these bottled fruit-juice flavors.

Get an assortment—have it on hand. Then cut the trade-marks from the package fronts. Send them to us for this set of molds.



Jiffy Dessert Co. MAIL THIS  
Waukesha, Wis.

Enclosed find six trade-marks, for which mail me the six molds that you offer.

10 flavors in glass vials  
Bottle in each package

2 Pkgs. for 25c

Give full address—write plainly.



## Wash Goods

**PERCALE**—Good quality, full yard wide, in a large line of very pretty stripes for Bungalow Aprons and Men's Shirts; 25c value. Thursday Special ..... **17c Yard**

**RIPPLETTE**—27 inches wide, in all staple stripes; 33c value. Thursday Special ..... **22c Yard**

**OUTING FLANNEL**—36 inches wide, just a small lot of extra good quality, in fancy stripes; 29c value. Thursday Special ..... **15c Yard**

**WHITE MAINSOOK**—Full yard wide, fine combed yarn, soft finish, easy to work on; 39c value. Thursday Special **22c Yd.**

PALMER STREET STORE

### APRONS

**Gem Bungalow Aprons**—Made of fine striped percale, low neck, short sleeves, belt and pocket with cap to match, trimmed with rick rack braid, extra large sizes; regular price \$1.49. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.00**

**Dainty Allover Aprons**—Made of fine striped madras, low neck, short sleeves, elastic belts and pocket, large sizes; regular price \$1.39. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.00**

**Princess Skirt Aprons**—Made of fine striped percale, fitted belts and pocket; regular price 50c. Thursday Special ..... **39c**

**French Dotted Veilings**—Taupe with black, taupe with purple, purple with black, purple with navy with navy; regular price \$1.50 yard. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.00**

STREET FLOOR

### RIBBONS

**Hairbow Ribbon** in moire, tafetas and novelty stripes, all good shades; regular price 50c yard. Thursday Special ..... **39c Yard**

**Roman Stripe Ribbons** for sashes; regular prices \$1.98 to \$2.98 yard. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.59 Yard**

**Metal Bag Frames**; regular price 79c each. Thursday Special ..... **39c Each**

STREET FLOOR

### STATIONERY

**One Pound Package Colonial Linen Paper**; value ..... 50c

**One Package Envelopes**; value ..... 20c

Total value ..... 70c

Thursday Special ..... **50c**

STREET FLOOR

# A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

### LEATHER GOODS

**Velvet Bags**—In all colors, with purse and mirrors; regular prices \$5.00 and \$6.00. Thursday Special ..... **\$2.98**

**Black Leather Bags**—In pouch style, silk lining, purse and mirror; regular price \$5.00. Thursday Special ..... **\$2.98**

STREET FLOOR

### TOILET GOODS

**Ivory Pyralin Clocks**—Regular price \$1.75. Thursday Special ..... **\$3.69**

**Glycerine and Koko Palm Soap**—Regular price 5c cake. Thursday Special ..... **3c**

**Aladdin Dye** for Georgette and Crepe de Chine; regular price 10c. Thursday Special **3c**

**Quelques Violet and Ideal Talcum Powder**—Regular price \$1. Thursday Special ..... **76c**

**Nickel Holders** for tooth brushes; regular price 25c. Thursday Special ..... **17c**

STREET FLOOR

## Gingham Tie-Back House Dresses

**\$1.98**

10 dozen in the lot. Neat, attractive patterns in checked and plaided ginghams, prettily trimmed with rows of rick-rack braid. Made with becoming square necks, sleeves finished with pointed cuff, narrow tie-back sashes and skirts of generous width. Two styles to choose from. Sizes to 42. These little dresses are the very newest fashion for morning wear.

SECOND FLOOR

### WORK GLOVES FOR MEN

**Men's Heavy Canvas Gloves**—Leather faced with knitted or gauntlet wrist. Thursday Special ..... **35c**

3 Pairs \$1.00

**Men's Denham Leather Faced Gauntlet Gloves**—Thursday Special ..... **25c a Pair**

STREET FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S DRAWERS

**Children's Drawers**, made plain with cluster of tucks, of very good quality cotton, sizes 2, 4 and 6 years; regular 29c value. Thursday Special ..... **19c**

**Children's Drawers**, hamburger and lace trimmed, good quality cotton, sizes 2, 4 and 6 years; regular 59c and 39c value. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

THIRD FLOOR

## Coats and Dresses

**17 WINTER COATS**—Prices from \$35 to \$45. Reduced to **\$15**

**6 PECCO PLUSH COATS**—Former price \$40. Reduced to **\$15**

**4 SUEDE SPORT COATS**—Chamois lined; former prices \$40 and \$65. Reduced to ..... **\$18.50 and \$25**

**\$35.00 GEORGETTE DRESSES**—In colors. Reduced to ..... **\$15**

**\$45.00 GEORGETTE DRESSES**—In colors. Reduced to **\$18.50**

**\$3.98 ANGORA WOOL SCARFS**—Reduced to ..... **\$1.50**

SECOND FLOOR

### CHILDREN'S

#### UMBRELLAS

Made of heavy umbrella cloth, paragon frame, Bakelite or natural wood handles with white and colored rings, black only; regular value \$2.50. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.75**

STREET FLOOR

#### JEWELRY

**Watch Bracelets**—Black ribbon; regular price \$1.50. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.00**

**Rosaries**—All colors; regular prices \$2.50 and \$2.75. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.49**

**Bead Necklaces**—Assorted colors; regular prices \$1 to \$3. Thursday Special ..... **50c**

**Lingerie Clasps**—Regular price 29c. Thursday Special **19c**

**Cuff Pins**—Regular prices 50c and 65c pair. Thursday Special ..... **25c Pair**

STREET FLOOR

**Hair Nets**—Regular price \$1.50 dozen. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.00 Doz.**

**Hair Pins**—Regular price 15c a box. Thursday Special, 3 boxes for ..... **25c**

**Orange Bowls**—Regular price \$4.50. Thursday Special ..... **\$2.75**

**Footed Nappies**—Regular price \$3.00. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.75**

**Fruit Bowls**—Regular price \$3.00. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.75**

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### JAPANESE LUNCH SETS

Made of heavy material. Guaranteed fast colors, 13 pieces, 1 24 in. centre, 1/2 doz. 10 in. and 1/2 doz. 6 in. Doylies, 4 floral patterns, including the bluebird; sold for \$1.98. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.15 Set**

PALMER ST. STORE

## Hosiery and Underwear

FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

**Women's Fine Cotton Union Suits**—Low neck, sleeveless, cuff and trimmed knee, regular size only; regular \$1.15. Thursday Special ..... **65c**

**Women's Fleece Vests**—Low neck, sleeveless, regular and extra size; regular \$1.75. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.00**

**Women's Light Weight Pants**—Cuff knee; regular 50c. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**Children's Light Weight Union Suits**—Dutch neck, short sleeves, knee length; regular \$1.00. Thursday Special ..... **60c**

**Children's Pants**—3/4 wool, odd size; regular \$1.00. Thursday Special ..... **60c**

**Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose**—All sizes; regular 50c. Thursday Special, 3 pairs ..... **\$1.00**

**Children's Fine Ribbed Hose**—In black and white; regular 38c. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**Women's Cotton Hose**—Black, white, cordovan and gray; regular 38c. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**Women's Fine Lisle Hose**—Cordovan, full fashion; regular \$1.25. Thursday Special ..... **75c**

**Women's Half Wool Hose**—In black only; regular 35c. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**Women's Wool Sport Hose**—Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.50 and \$1.75**

STREET FLOOR

### READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

**White Night Gowns**, trimmed with hamburger or pink embroidery, short sleeves, low necks. \$1.00 values ..... **69c**

**Children's Flannel Bloomers**, pink or blue stripe patterns, cut full. 59c values ..... **39c**

**Children's Dresses** of gingham and chambray. Pretty plaids or plain colors. Nicely trimmed. Sizes 2 to 6. \$1.50 values ..... **79c**

**Envelope Chemise**, white and flesh. Lace or hamburger trimming. 79c values ..... **59c**

**Sateen Petticoats**, black, plain colors, figured designs, deep plaited flounces. \$1.50 values, ..... **\$1.15**

### BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

**Boys' Wash Suits**, made of gingham, galatea, line, chambray, in light or dark colors. Sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. \$2.50 and \$3.50 values ..... **\$1.29**

### MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION

**Work Shirts**, made in blue chambray and twilled khaki. Men's sizes. \$1.00 values ..... **50c**

**Jersey Ribbed Union Suits**, for boys. White and silver gray. \$1.50 values 79c, or 2 for \$1.50

**Men's Silk Pleated Hose**, in brown only. Seconds of the 50c grade ..... **25c Pair**

### SHOE SECTION

**Misses' and Children's Boston School Shoes**, dark brown lace, hi-cut, with brown cloth top, on good fitting last, wide width, all sizes. 8 1/2 to 11 and 11 1/2 to 2. Former price \$3.50. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.98**

**Women's Felt Shoes**, with felt or leather soles; will make a good house shoe, all sizes. 3 to 7. Former price \$2.00. Thursday Special ..... **98c**

**Women's Tip Juliettes** with rubber heels. Sizes 3 to 8. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.65**

**Women's Low Cuts**, in pumps and lace oxfords. In this lot you will find gun metal and pat. pumps, black and some tan lace oxfords, high or low heels, most all sizes in lot. Former price \$4.00. Thursday Special ..... **\$2.50**

**Men's Knee Length Rubber Boots**, made by Hlood. All sizes, 7 to 10. Thursday Special ..... **\$3.95**

### SHOE SECTION

**Boys' Olive Ooze Shoes** with fibre soles, made by Hlood Rubber Co., Goodyear welts. All sizes, 11 to 13 1/2 and 1 to 6. Former value \$3 and \$1. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.98**

### KITCHEN FURNISHINGS SECTION

**Galvanized Wash Tubs**, largest size, heavy galvanized, with wringer attachments. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.19 Ea.**

**Lenox Laundry Soap**. Thursday Special. 6 Cakes for 25c

**Floor Brooms**, good grade of corn stock, with 4 rows of stitching. Thursday Special. **69c Ea.**

**Wizard Liquid Wax**, 1/2 pint size. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**Clothes Baskets**, oblong splint clothes baskets, 28 in long, 16 in. wide, 9 in. deep. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.19 Ea.**

### GROCERY SECTION

**Fancy Maine Corn**, value 20c can. Thursday Special, ..... **15c, 2 for 25c**

**2 lbs. Sugar**,  
**1 lb. A. G. P. 36c Coffee**,  
**1/2 lb. 55c Tea**.

—ALL FOR 70c

### DRY GOODS SECTION

**Long Cloth**, 36 inches wide, fine underwear quality, full pieces, 39c value ..... **22c Yard**

**Bed Ticking**, in mill remnants, firmly woven grade, staple and fancy stripe patterns; 29c value ..... **15c**

**Mercerized Sateen**, in all colors, fine good wearing quality, remnants; 39c value ..... **20c Yard**

**Outing Flannel**, heavy and warm, light or dark colors, mill remnants lengths ..... **10c Yard**

**Amoskeag Romper Cloth**, in remnants, light and dark colors, a fine sturdy material for children's play clothes; 29c value ..... **19c**

### DRY GOODS SECTION

**Plain White Mainsack**, of fine quality, a yard wide; 25c value ..... **15c Yard**

**Amoskeag 32-Inch Gingham**, in good colors and designs, second quality; 25c value ..... **15c**

**Barnsley Crash**, heavy and bleached; 29c value ..... **19c**

**Turkish Towels**, size 22x24, all white, made of heavy double and twisted yarn; 59c value, ..... **39c**

**Huck Towels**, of good size, plain white, 65% linen; 39c value, ..... **22c**

**Hill Unbleached Cotton**, 39 in. wide, very fine quality, in remnants; 25c value ..... **15c Yard**

**50 Dozen Pillow Cases**, made of good, firm cotton, size 22x36; 35c values ..... **22c**

### DRY GOODS SECTION

**Linen Finish Suiting**, a yard wide, nice for children's suits, dresses, blouses, etc.; 20c val., ..... **17c**

**Pillow Tubing**, 45 inches wide, good standard quality, in mill remnants; 39c value, at 29c

**Twilled Cretonne**, of good heavy quality, pretty designs, in new color combinations; 19c value, ..... **12 1/2c Yd.**

**Yard Wide Silkalme**, in large and small patterns, pretty colors; 25c value ..... **15c Yd.**

**50 Pairs Wool Finish Twilled Blankets**, in gray only; \$1 val. ..... **\$2.39 Pair**

**White Crochet Bed Spreads**, of extra large size; \$1.00 value, ..... **\$2.89**

**Women's Hose**, fine quality, all black, seconds; 19c value, ..... **10c—3 Pairs 25c**

## \$5000 for Capture of Assassins

CHICAGO, March 9.—Rewards of \$5000 were offered today by Alderman John Powers of the 19th ward for the capture of the men who yesterday shot and killed two of his political lieutenants, Paul A. Labriola and Harry Raymond. One man was under arrest today in connection with the case but police refused to disclose his identity. Four gunmen imported from New York were reported to have been connected with the shooting. Police were detailed to guard the house of "Tony" Girardi, another precinct captain for Alderman Powers in the recent aldermanic election, when he said he had received death threats similar to those sent Labriola.

## Gambling and Bad Language

Instructions had been given to the investigating officers when their superiors advised them to keep their identities a secret. The ticket-selling arrangements at the Strand Theatre also came in for warm criticism. Police Officer Leahy declared that dissatisfaction existed relative to the manner in which admission tickets are sold. He charged that the manager of this establishment on various occasions declined to recognize his authority as an officer when he attempted to remedy conditions. According to Officer Leahy, the management of this theatre sells 35 cent tickets when there are no 25-cent seats, and the purchaser has to content himself with cheaper seats until there is a vacancy. The manager declared that no one is forced to buy these tickets unless he is willing to abide by the conditions. After the officer and the manager had indulged in some heated repartee, the commission requested the

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## Commissioner McGrath

What is the use of the police officers bringing in charges? said Commissioner McGrath, "when they did not investigate to find out whether the minors had permission to be there or not. It looks as if the superior officers had not given the men the proper instructions when they told them to keep their identity a secret."

Nearly every pool room owner in Lowell had been hated before the license commission on charges preferred by the police, and at the conclusion of the testimony given, they were warned that revocation of their licenses would follow further infractions of the city ordinances. These require that no minor may enter a Lowell pool room

## Decreed Conditions

The officers visited pool rooms in all parts of the city. They found, they stated, money games progressing, and they heard improper language being used with marked frequency. Minors were present in considerable numbers. In one establishment the sole means of ventilation consisted of a door transom and a rear window. In one instance minors were amusing themselves by playing a game for money. A pool room located at Howe and E. Merrimack streets, came in for particularly severe condemnation. The officers stigmatized this place as a menace to the safety of the public being dirty and poorly ventilated, and numbering among its clientele individuals who have often been

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## TWO ASSASSINATED IN POLITICAL FEUD

CHICAGO, March 9.—A reign of lawlessness, declared to have been the outcome of a political feud, which has terrorized one of the most densely populated wards in the city for weeks, yesterday ended in the assassination of two of Aldermen John Powers' political lieutenants.

Paul Lacharis, a municipal court bailiff, was the first victim. He was shot from ambush, a block from his home, just before noon. He fell with nine bullets through his back.

Harry Raymond, a cigar store owner, was killed two hours later by two men who entered his store to buy cigars. Two bullets pierced his head and two others punctured his lung.

Both shootings took place in a section known as "Death Valley" in the 15th ward and were ascribed by the police to the feud between the Powers faction and that of Anthony d'Andrea, who was defeated by Powers for alderman last month.

The election campaign was marked by great bitterness and violence, including bombing of a political meeting and several kidnappings on election day.

The police yesterday took steps to guard men likely to have been marked for killing.

Featuring the lineup for the last half of the week will be Pauline Frederick in "Roads of Destiny," and Jack Pickford in "Just Out of College." "Roads of Destiny" is a powerful story of a woman who could not escape her destiny. It is a screen adaptation of one of O. Henry's masterpieces of short fiction.

Miss Frederick plays the role of Rose Merritt, who finds disillusion wherever she turns. The genius of O. Henry found a means to show that no matter what she did or where she went she could not escape the fell clutch of destiny. In the four episodes of the production she is four different persons, a crozier at a roulette wheel in an Alaskan gambling den, a courted society favorite on fashionable Long Island, a girl who has been betrayed by her lover, and her own self. In each incarnation destiny meets out to her the same fate, but for tragic doom clears for others the pathway of happiness and the production ends happily.

In "Just Out of College" Jack Pickford plays a most suitable role. He never had a part in all his screen career that matched his boyish personality as perfectly as that of "Ed, Swinger" in the present comedy. The story, written by the celebrated humorist, George Ade, tells of two young men, given the task of making a fortune in 30 days, and who, as a result, develop a campaign on a new brand of pickles and make their trademark a household word inside of a week.

Opera House  
Stunner and patios, pleasantly mixed in proportions that will surely suit the tastes of all playgoers, is to be found in this week's presentation of "Daddy Dandies," by the Lowell Players at the Opera House. The characterization of the leading role by Milton Bryant, that of "Daddy" is one that demands and ably receives excellent

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

(By Theaters' Own Press Agents)  
**MORRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE**  
Final performance of "The Kid" starring Charlie Chaplin, the noted comedian, and "The Hunchback," a dramatic story of the race track, with Victor Hopper, will be given at the Mor-

## New Hair Growth After BALDNESS

On legal affidavit John Hart Brittain, business man, certified to this: "My head at the top and back was absolutely bald. An expert said that he thought the hair roots were extinct, and there was no hope of my ever having a new hair growth."

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**THE STRAND**  
Have you attended one of the morning matinees at The Strand? If you haven't then you should. Besides being an innovation in connection with the regular theatre, the Strand has the biggest—if not the biggest motion pictures ever shown anywhere for the money—it affords patrons who find it inconvenient or impossible to attend in the afternoon or night a chance to see this really wonderful picture program. Charlie Chaplin in his newest comedy creation, "The Kid," the hilarious dancer in "Passion Fruit," and the dancing in "Beautifully Trimmed." Any one of these pictures would be featured on an ordinary bill, but together in one grand showing, and Lowell patrons are showing their appreciation of his efforts by turning out in record numbers.

Beginning tomorrow matinee and continuing the remainder of the week the features will be William Russell in "The Challenge of the Law," and "The Kid" in "The Challenge of the Law," and "The Kid" in "The Challenge of the Law."

In "The Challenge of the Law," Russell is given a supporting role as the captain of the Royal Mounted Police of the Northwest, whose assignment has been to stop a desperado band of robbers and murderers who have fled across the border into the United States. This he does with typical Russell style. It is a gripping story that has a pleasing love romance, and it's handled well by the story and supporting cast. The scenic effects are grand.

Little need be said in the way of commendation for Tsuru Aoki as an actress. Her past efforts have well established her as one of the best of her kind. "The Breath of the Gods," her latest screen vehicle, is of exceptional merit and will surely find favor with all lovers of superior screen productions.

## R. F. KEITH'S THIRTEEN

A bill abounding with striking features is the one being presented at the R. F. Keith theatre this week. Juliet, who gives the "one-woman" revue has positively the best act of imitations yet seen here. At every performance she suggests a dozen or more of the best known characters on the stage, and her audience names several of these she is to give. Billy Glason, the whirlwind entertainer, is another who gives to his audience what they audience wants. He sings and talks and always gives something new. The extraordinary feature in Charles Chaplin's best picture, "The Kid" with Jackie Coogan in a wonderful part. This picture, a mixture of humor and pathos, is not only the longest film production of the famous comedian but is easily a best of his career. You will want to see it during the week's engagement. Another feature is the exclusive pictures of the Inauguration of President Harding, which occurred on Friday last. No other theatre in the city is showing them. Other acts on the bill are The Riata, the LaVas and Stanley & Lea.

## RIALTO THEATRE

Charlie Chaplin's picture, "The Kid," which took the famous comedian a year to finish, is making its last appearance at the Rialto theatre today. You should plan on seeing it before it goes for you will surely laugh yourself sick at the antics of Charlie Chaplin's young Jackie Coogan, and of the comedian himself. The story alternates with pathos and joy and is deeply interesting and amusing. Beginning tomorrow the program will introduce a strong Saturday Evening Post story, "Girls Don't Gamble," an attractive plot, "Sunderland Lovers," an episode of "Fighting Fats," an Educational comedy, "Wedding Blues" and the Fox News.

## PETITION FOR CONSERVATOR

A conservator for the estate of Mrs. Margaret Flaherty, Winchester, aged 86, of William Winchester, of Nashua, N. H., has been petitioned for by one of her children. The wedding occurred recently, the couple being united by Attorney William White. The bride is more than 70 years of age, while the groom, who is a young man, is a resident of West Sixth street, and is said to own much property in Lowell.

The most powerful governor in all China, Chang Tso lin, of Manchuria, is an ex-bandit.

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## POLICE COURT CASES

The cases of Frederick G. Leonard, 16, and Martha Crockett, both of Tyngsboro, charged with improper conduct, were continued to April 9 today in the police court. A feature of the Leonard case was the statement of the hearing's wife that she was willing to have the charges placed on file. It was also announced by Leonard that he intends to seek a divorce. Both defendants are out on bail. Peter Gagnon, charged with drunkenness and larceny of a watch valued at \$5 from Vincent Grebby, was fined \$10 on the larceny charge and had the drunkenness case filed. Another drunkenness case was filed. Evangelist Limper, charged with non-support, was defaulted.

## Death Lurks in Money Grab

Continued for a 17-year period and rendered 12 decrees, relative to interests affecting 70,000 women and children, Massachusetts, in fact, has always been a pioneer in labor legislation, having established a bureau of labor statistics as early as 1868. This body kept people informed of their own working life with special reference to the welfare of employees. It also built up scientific knowledge concerning the industries of the commonwealth. On this bureau rests all our work on individuals in industry. In 1913 the bureau of standards was formed. It had as its special province the inspection of all canned and package goods relative to weight. One year previous, in 1912, the department of labor and industries had been organized as the direct outgrowth of public sentiment. It was given powers which had formerly been possessed by various bodies, and exercised as a particular province the care of men, women and children in industry, and the preservation of their safety. These progressive steps indicate that at least some of the people of Massachusetts wished the workers safeguarded from the earliest times when this commonwealth passed the first law regulating labor over made effective in the United States.

## Accidents and Diseases

In 1884 a statute was passed providing for the regulation of accidents and diseases resulting from infection which occurred in the industries of the state. Although this measure was on the books, it was not observed rigidly. In 1887 we modified our employers' liability act so that after working places than had before been required, had now to be arranged. In 1896 England had passed a workingman's compensation act, and 13 years before even that year Central and Northern Europe had worked out plans which were affording protection to workmen and their families. In 1903 a new interest in securing better industrial legislation seemed to awaken. Under the leadership of ex-Governor Crane a commission was appointed to make suggestions for future legislation. I remember public men of that time who considered a change from old standards as nothing short of revolutionary. Carroll D. Wright headed the commission and in his report made many indications of lines for improvement. Now for several years little was accomplished until a commission was appointed to frame a workingman's compensation act. However, history shows that legislation must develop slowly before this problem can be dealt with successfully. In 1898 the federal government had sent investigators to Massachusetts to find out how our labor statutes were working. They delivered an unfavorable report, as they did in the cases of New York and other industrial states, such as Ohio. The federal department of labor, during the same year, gave some practical information. It stated that within a year 25,000 people had lost their lives in American industry, and 700,000 had been incapacitated for more than two weeks. In Pittsburgh six years later, the United States steel corporation had attracted public attention by investigating the injuries sustained by its employees.

## The Pittsburgh Survey

In 1907 the so-called "Pittsburgh survey" was held. Paul Kellogg directed this work, and Crystal Eastman, sister of Max Eastman, also assisted. The Slavs, the Germans, and the English and Irish, reported this survey, "come from countries where they are protected

# THURSDAY MORNING SPECIALS

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Children's Summer Union Suits, low neck, in no sleeve, cuff knee, sizes 14 to 16 years. 69c value. Thursday Morning Special 49c  
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Bloomers of crepe and batiste, flesh and white, ruffle at knee, reinforced, 98c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 85c  
Envelope Chemise, of nainsook and batiste, prettily trimmed with lace and embroidery. \$1.50 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... \$1.19  
Camisoles of jap satin, lace trimmed, flesh only, button front and slip-on models, small sizes. 69c value. Thursday Morning Special. 50c  
Gowns made with long sleeves, V neck, yoke of embroidery, in an assortment of styles. \$1.25 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 95c  
House Dresses of figured grey percale, long sleeves, and convertible collar. \$1.98 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... \$1.50  
Bungalow Aprons of dark blue percales, button back, \$1.25 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 95c  
House Dresses of light percale, also breakfast sets, small sizes only. \$1.00 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... \$1.00  
Small Percale Aprons, in stripes, made with pocket, 25c value. Thursday Morning Special 15c  
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Bleached Indian Head, 36 inches wide, for middie blouses, nurses uniforms, sport frocks, afternoon dresses, etc. 29c value. Thursday Morning Special, yd. .... 23c  
Everett Classic Gingham, good wearing quality, in stripes, checks, and plaids, excellent for house dresses and nurses' uniforms. 19c value. Thursday Morning Special, yd. .... 15c  
Berkeley No. 100 White Cambric, 38 inches wide, excellent fine quality for underslousins, children's dresses, etc. 30c value. Thursday Morning Special, yd. .... 29c  
Window Shades, 36x72 in. size, perfect in every way, mounted on heavy rollers, complete with fixtures and rings, colors light green and bronze green. 85c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 55c Ea.

Sash Curtains, made of fine check muslin, well made, ready to hang, 75c value. Thursday Morning Special, pair ..... 49c  
Bordered Marquisette, good selection of patterns, fine quality, white and cream color. 49c value. Thursday Morning Special, yd. .... 39c  
Cretonnes, light and dark colorings, new designs and patterns, heavy quality. 59c value. Thursday Morning Special, yd. .... 39c  
Dutch Curtains, trimmed with wide lace edges, made with valance center all headed to run on rod. \$2.25 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... \$1.59  
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Lewdales Cucumber Cream, 60c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 39c  
Water Bottles and Fountain Syringes, combination, guaranteed. \$1.60 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 88c  
Goodyear Unbreakable Black Combs, 80c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 59c  
Mavis and Lady Mary Soap, 30c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 19c  
Women's Pink Jersey Bloomers, in all sizes. \$2.00 value. Thursday Morning Special, \$1.00  
Two-clasp Chamisette Gloves, white, slightly counter soiled. \$1.25 value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 65c  
Invisible Hair Pins. Thursday Morning Special ..... 2 for 5c  
Snaps, 5c value. Thursday Morning Special, 2 for 5c  
Snaps, 10c value. Thursday Morning Special, 2 for 14c  
Colorite, 25c value. Thursday Morning Special, box ..... 20c  
White Tape, 36 yds. on roll, 50c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 30c  
Basting Cotton, 8c value. Thursday Morning Special ..... 6c

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Boys' Suits, woolen and corduroy, sizes 8 to 17. \$10.00 value. Thursday Morning Special, \$8.19  
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## OUR WAR LOANS

There is much talk about our loans to the allies, the interest thereon, the refunding and even the cancellation of these loans; and our citizens would undoubtedly like to know the present status of our financial relations with the allies in the world war.

Thus far the loans are unpaid and in some quarters grave doubts are expressed as to whether they will ever be paid. Some weeks ago the government at Washington was approached on the subject of cancelling the debts of these debtor nations to resume industrial activities. It was a British official who advanced the proposition on behalf of the allied powers; but it received no encouragement from the officials then in control at Washington. It was represented that Italy and France were behind the request, but apparently the allied powers overestimated our generosity. If not our ability, to join them in the cancellation movement in which the United States would have to do most of the cancelling. Great Britain in making this proposition has won the approval of France and Italy, while the United States is set down as a "money shark." This charge is highly unjust, however, as we asked for none of the spoils of war; but when we notified the allies that we should have some voice in the assignment of mandates, we were met with a blunt refusal. This has been particularly notable in the pro-

test entered by Washington against the allocation of Yap to Japan. With all her protestations of friendship, Japan refuses to yield any part of her control over Yap which the United States wished to hold as a neutral center of cable communication. Thus it appears that while the allied powers are unwilling to grant the United States what belongs to us, they want us to cancel our loans of nearly ten billion dollars.

The war cost us \$24,000,000,000 and to cancel these loans would increase the cost to an amount probably exceeding the total spent by Great Britain. It is highly probable that the loans to Russia, and perhaps also Rumania and Czechoslovakia, may have to be charged to profit and loss. All these billions of dollars have been or are, at least in part, yet to be collected from the American people and just at present they are in no mood to cancel debts for the benefit of the people for whom we went into the war and whom we saved from defeat. It will be the duty of our government to collect these debts in whatever way may seem best or most practical. It is quite certain that the debts will never be paid if the nations so indebted to us think that we can by any means be fagged into letting the loans run indefinitely and finally be forgotten as impossible of collection.

The total war loans made to European nations by the United States are appended.

| Countries      | Credits Established | Cash Advances    | Interest Hereon | Int. Accrued  |
|----------------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Belgium        | \$340,211,467       | \$340,211,467    | \$10,971,281    | \$25,339,095  |
| Cuba           | 10,000,000          | 10,000,000       | 1,126,865       | 1,126,865     |
| Czechoslovakia | 67,329,041          | 61,256,206       | 201,178         | 3,596,896     |
| France         | 5,947,974,777       | 2,984,477,000    | 128,140,816     | 211,524,703   |
| Great Britain  | 4,277,000,000       | 4,277,000,000    | 233,557,155     | 314,582,521   |
| Greece         | 48,236,629          | 15,000,000       | 409,153         | 409,153       |
| Italy          | 1,662,692,177       | 1,631,335,955    | 57,598,925      | 120,288,713   |
| Rumania        | 25,000,000          | 25,000,000       | 2,600,000       | 2,600,000     |
| Russia         | 157,722,750         | 157,722,750      | 4,685,564       | 14,082,609    |
| Serbia         | 26,750,455          | 26,750,455       | 636,059         | 1,088,000     |
| Totals         | \$20,710,525,310    | \$19,560,823,677 | \$437,349,431   | \$893,399,577 |

## STATE POLICE PATROL

If a state police patrol, aided by wireless telephone stations, would result in stamping out auto banditry in this state, we should have it without delay.

Before the legislature is a bill providing for the establishment of such a patrol as a means of affording police protection to towns in rural districts which are entirely powerless to cope with armed marauders who may invade their territory at any time and commit the highest crimes, such as robbery and murder, with impunity.

The bill does not provide for the use of the wireless telephone; but its possibilities for this purpose are simply amazing.

For several years there has been an agitation in favor of such a state force; but not until the auto bandit terrorizes the land, did they become convinced of its necessity.

At the present time, as during the past year at least, there is urgent need of a state police patrol that will help to banish the highway robber who has thus far been able to a great extent to commit crimes even in thickly settled communities and then escape in a high-powered auto through sparsely settled districts.

Of course at first the expense of this patrol should be moderate for the reason that the tax rate is high and there is everywhere a demand for retrenchment.

In perfecting such a patrol, the wireless telephone can be used with great advantage between stations in different parts of the state. Indeed, we believe the time is at hand when every well equipped police department should have a wireless telephone by which to notify other cities in case it is necessary to call for assistance in heading off fleeing criminals. Even as a means of connecting large cities with surrounding towns the wireless telephone may yet be found to offer many advantages over the present method.

## CREDITABLE RECORD

Frank A. Goodwin, registrar of motor vehicles, gives Lowell a good card as having the best record for freedom from serious motor accidents, among the five leading cities of the state during the months of December and January. For that we are willing to give our police department due credit, although the traffic during the two months mentioned was at a low ebb here, owing to the cold and occasional snow storms. But the same was true, we presume, in most of the other cities. The safety first movement in Lowell is undoubtedly having good results.

The Sun was a pioneer in this movement, having for years advocated the principles of "Safety First" not only on the public highways but in the factories and the homes. As we have repeatedly shown, most accidents result from carelessness, carelessness in driving, in crossing streets or, as in case of children, making a playground of the streets. It is well to enforce the speed laws and in this the police department has convinced the reckless drivers that it is for their interest to comply with the laws governing the use of motor vehicles.

It should be said in behalf of Registrar Goodwin that he is doing excellent work in promoting safety on the public highways. We expect that as a result of his efforts there will be more security on the public highways next summer than for some years past.

## WINE CELLARS EMPTIED

Washington dispatches carry the news that when the democratic cabinet and other officials moved out, they took with them abundant stocks of fine liquors and Enforcement Commissioner Kramer guaranteed them safe transit. No doubt the cellars thus vacated will soon be restocked by the republicans who are moving in. But these stores will not be packed so that reporters can read the labels.

## NATIONAL FISH DAY

National Fish day is being observed today to encourage the more frequent use of fish as food and thereby to aid an industry which for various reasons has been neglected. The fisheries were one of the most important industries with the thirteen American colonies; and so they continued until our merchant marine practically disappeared from the seas.

When the world war came on, a great effort was made to put the nation on a fish diet in order that as much meat as possible might be sent to Europe. When the armistice was declared, the people switched back to a meat diet and hundreds of thousands of pounds of fish could not be sold at any price and were used only for fertilizer.

With the development of our merchant marine, it is hoped that more attention will be paid to the fishing industry and that the people will learn to prepare fish more appetizingly for the table and to use this food to a much greater extent instead of meat. Let us help those who cast their lot on deep waters by one fish meal today and thus emphasize the importance of the fishing industry and of fish as a staple article of food.

## DENBY FOR GREAT NAVY

It seems that Secretary Denby of the navy has the right idea when he says, we should have a navy as big as needed.

The stiffness of Japan on the Yap mandate is not calculated to impress the American government with the idea that a large navy may not be needed in asserting and defending American rights. The American coastline is so vast that we need a navy at least as big as any other in the world. While it is inferior to any other our national liberty is not secure.

The school superintendent who endorses grammatical errors such as "it's me" and "he don't," instead of "it is I" and "he does not," in order to be consistent must approve of "it is him" and "it is for I." When a teacher or any school official encourages a departure from strict grammatical accuracy, the result cannot be otherwise than demoralizing generally. Fortunately no school superintendent can change the rules of English grammar or the standards by which the language has been written since the days of Lindley Murray.

Attorney General Palmer before leaving office discovered that beer is medicine under the meaning of the prohibition law and new the invalids of the land will sing that once popular song: "Beer, beer, glorious beer!"

There is only one kind of law in the U.S.A. and that is the law, and no respectable citizen violates it or betrays it.

If Palmer's decision stands, the plant of the Harvard brewery may revert to its original purpose and turn out medicated beer.

Before long, the word, which is up betimes in the morning, may feed upon the succulent pea vines, unless the earlier bird is up in time to catch him.

Every rose has its thorn, and with every spring-like day comes the realization that the hottest bulls are not far off.

We almost feel as though we were living in the good old days when we hear that the office of mayor is really seeking a man big enough for the job.

A problem calculated to make the political economist and business man near their hair in despair to keep wages up and prices down.

## SEEN AND HEARD

It seems the Japs do not want Koreans to have as much as the core of Korea.

Some are not enthusiastically supporting the kill-the-dandelions campaign this spring.

Maybe Bergdoll will come back when Bill Hohenzollern voluntarily appears in London for trial!

Does our hesitancy in coming to peace terms with Germany make Harding another war president?

Bureau of fisheries says two billion pounds of fish were caught last year, not including, of course, the poor fish on the wildcat's sucker list.

"The average age of the Harding cabinet is 54 years, and this is almost ideal as regards mental efficiency," Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk, medical director, Life Extension Institute.

## Had Narrow Escape

A certain caddy, although ordinarily his speech was quite normal, was apt to stammer badly when excited or surprised. One day he was caddy for a well known player, who when on arriving at the 7th hole, a particularly difficult one, remarked, "I did this hole in three the other day." "What else?" asked the caddy. "Well, sir, all I can say is that you are a 1-1-1-1-1!" "Steady, boy, steady!" interrupted the player, reprovingly. "You're a 1-1-1-fucking, man, sir," concluded the stammering caddy.

## The Blue Laws

Just now, remarks Dr. William E. Barton, there is frequent reference to the blue laws. The reference is often accompanied by the assertion that in puritanical Connecticut and perhaps in other colonies under the Puritan regime, it was a penal offense for a man to kiss his wife on Sunday. There is, indeed, a record in the Massachusetts courts of a man's having been accused of kissing his wife in public upon the Sabbath, but the code of laws which made it an offense for a man either privately or publicly to kiss his wife upon the Sabbath is supposed to have been a Connecticut creation. It is assumed to have been a part of the original code of Connecticut in 1633. It is safe to say that no one who makes these affirmations or allusions has ever done the very simple thing of looking in the nearest general law library to discover whether there ever were any such laws. There were no such laws. The so-called "blue laws of Connecticut" were first published in New Haven in 1633, but in London, 162 years later, we know the name of the liar who invented the so-called "blue laws."

Among his 45 statutes were:  
"15—No one shall run on the Sabbath day, or walk in the garden or elsewhere, except reverently, to and from worship."  
"16—No one shall travel, cook, visit, make beds, sweep houses, cut hair or shave on the Sabbath day."  
"17—No woman shall kiss her child on the Sabbath or fasting day."

There was more of this sort, and there were people in London in 1751 so devoid of a sense of humor that they believed this nonsense to have been Puritan legislation. The colonial laws were admittedly severe, and the Sabbath as there observed was rigid; but the "blue laws" owe their origin to malicious falsehood, and their preservation to unparadigmatic ignorance.

## Illinois and Lincoln

Not thy farms with cattle tending,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Nor thy factories, smoking, steaming,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Nor thy railroads hauling freight,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Lighteous manhood makes a state,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Righteous manhood makes a state.

By thy rivers gently flowing,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Are there any great men growing,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Proud thy forest, "My sons are men,"  
Illinois, Illinois,  
This thy glory, now as then,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
This thy glory, now as then,  
Illinois, Illinois.

Lincoln's ashes thou dost cherish,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Guard his virtues lest they perish,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Justice, honesty and skill,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
Courage, faith and strong good will,  
Illinois, Illinois,  
These thy blazing beacons still,  
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—WILLIAM E. BARTON.

## MAN ABOUT TOWN

The Man About Town wandered into the score which serves as the Centralville branch of the Lowell public library. He had a free evening, and looked forward to devoting it to reading. So he decided that he would take out one fiction work, and one volume of non-fiction. It was not an easy matter to select a book of fiction, for most of the stock of books in the case seemed the most insipid and chaffy kind of rot. But when he came to the problem of choosing a non-fiction work, he was confronted by an insuperable obstacle brought about by the fact that there were no non-fiction works to be described. Whereupon he grew exceedingly wrath and, remaining exceedingly wrath, and with continued rage, he decided to take out a ray of light, the unfortunate mind which placed the Centralville branch repertoire of books. Are we of Centralville esteemed a pack of imbeciles, that we are not offered so much as a single book that is not a story-book?

One of the interesting sidelights of the wave of holidays which came over Lowell early in the winter but which later about the middle of the year, the eagerness of many Lowell people to arm themselves with revolvers as a precaution against hold-up men. Of course, it is necessary for one to have a permit to carry a revolver and there are but two men who have the authority to issue such a permit. One is Judge Enright of the police court and the other the head of the police department, Mayor Thompson. When the series of holidays first began in Lowell both officials were deluged with applications for permits to carry a weapon and in order that the system of granting permits might be put on a regulated basis, the mayor and Judge Enright agreed to have a joint session once a week at the police court at which all applicants for the right to carry a revolver might state their case. Monday noon was the time agreed upon and these sessions have been productive of mighty interesting experiences. The applicant is giving a very thorough examination and only those whose real danger exists in the permit granted. Some Mondays there used to be as many as 20 people waiting for examination, but since the abatement of the holidays and the dissemination of the knowledge that no permits would be granted unless the applicant were in real need of armed protection, the demand has decreased. However, the two officials still hold their weekly session for whatever business comes before them.

A 15-minute service on the Lakeview avenue line of the electric cars is what the residents of West Centralville are

DON'T DO THIS!



## LEONARD EAR OIL

For sale in Lowell by Dows Drug Store, Merrimack St., Lowell, Mass. 632 Merrimack St., Charles L. Cordoue Co., corner Lakeview and Alden avenues; Ray E. Webster, 491 Bridge St.; E. Campbell, 255 Central St.; Fred Howard, 127 Central St.; Burkinshaw Drug Co., opp. Depot and Green's Drug Store, Merrimack square. Proof of success will be given you by the above druggists.

## A. A. R. R. MEETINGS

Well Attended Meeting by Oliver Plunkett and George Washington Councils

Two local councils of the American Association for the Relief of the Irish Republic held well attended meetings Monday evening. Oliver Plunkett council met in St. Peter's school hall and George Washington council in the Sacred Heart hall.

At the Oliver Plunkett council meeting it was voted to send telegrams to the state department and to Senators Walsh and Lodge, protesting against the recent execution of six Irishmen in alleged violation of the rules of the Hague convention of 1907.

After the business session an entertainment was given, with the following taking part: Solo, Miss Dorothy Eastman; reading, Miss Catherine O'Grady; solo, Miss Sally Markham; reading, Miss Kathleen Balfour; Irish jig, Miss Susie McCarthy and Miss Nora Farrell. Miss Black Barry, who recently arrived in this country, gave an exhibition of Irish jigs and reels. James Cronin entertained with Irish music and Thomas Plunkett sang several old Irish ballads.

The committee in charge of the mass meeting to be held Sunday, April 3, expected that several notable speakers had been secured for the occasion and all indications point to a most successful meeting.

The council adjourned to meet Monday evening, March 14, in St. Peter's hall.

George Washington Council  
Forty new members were admitted to the George Washington council at the meeting held in the Sacred Heart hall. Those present were addressed by President George Brennan, Jeremiah O'Sullivan, Peter McKenna and others. An excellent program of entertainment was carried out and included numbers by the Holy Angels orchestra, Miss Katherine Jennings, assisted by Albert Forrest, Edward Vaughn, Commissioner James J. Donnelly, Edward Finnegan, Martin H. McGuire, Miss Hannah Quinn and Daniel Faher.

O'Connell Board  
The O'Connell District Board of the Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic will meet in A.O.H. hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, when all the local councils will be represented.

Arrangements will be made to cooperate with the lecture and entertainment to be given Sunday afternoon and evening in aid of the Irish Relief fund. The meeting will also arrange for the convention of all Fifth congressional district councils in A.O.H. hall next Sunday afternoon.

## BILERICA NEWS

Chairman of Selectmen Instructed to Consult With Street Railway Officials Relative to Fare Reduction

At a recent meeting of the board of selectmen of the town of Bilerica, Chairman Sheridan was instructed to request the officials of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway company for a conference with the members of the board in an endeavor to have the fare rate through the town reduced, as is felt that the fares charged at present are excessive.

Under present rates the cash fare from the north to the centre is 20 cents, the distance being only 2 1/2 miles. On a ticket the fare is 14 cents, while the rate from Lowell to the centre is 30 cents or 21 cents when the ticket is used.

## PARK COMMISSION

Discusses Plans For Tree Planting to Afford Shade in Streets—Commission to Name Certain Streets

A campaign of tree planting designed to put shade into streets now denuded of trees was discussed by the park commission at its regular meeting last evening and it was voted to carry out this work as extensively as possible. An effort will be made to give the city a new look of trees rather than a predominance of one type. The streets on which new trees will be planted in the near future will be selected by the commission in a short time.

At the request of the G.A.R. and the Spanish War Veterans it was voted to endeavor to put the monuments in Monument square in a cleaner and more presentable condition if this can be accomplished without damage to the structures. It was also voted to call for bids for an ornamental iron fence, two feet high, to enclose the area in which the monuments stand.

It was announced that two deer and two goats will be added to the zoo at Fort Hill Park this spring. There is now a deer and a bear there.



# Thursday Specials

**WOMEN'S FULL FASHIONED BLACK SILK LISLE HOSE**, regular 60c value. Thursday special ..... **50c**

**WOMEN'S FLEECE LINED HOSE** in black, rib and heel top, regular and outsizes; regular 50c value. Thursday special..... **29c**

**WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE** in green heather, plain and fancy rib; regular \$1.25 value. Thursday special..... **79c**

**WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT UNION SUITS**, in low neck, no sleeve and lace knee; regular 60c value. Thursday special..... **49c**

**WOMEN'S SILK LISLE UNION SUITS**, in low neck, no sleeve and tight knee; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday special, **69c**

**WOMEN'S CHAMOISETTE GLOVES**, with three rows embroidery in black, white, grey and mode, not all sizes; regular \$1.19 value. Thursday special ..... **69c**

**BOYS' SCOUT HANDKERCHIEFS**, regular 10c value. Thursday special ..... **14c**

**MEN'S COTTON HANDKERCHIEFS**, plain or satin border; regular 20c value. Thursday special ..... **21c**

**WOMEN'S FANCY COLORED HANDKERCHIEFS**, regular 20c value. Thursday special ..... **21c**

**CHILDREN'S BLUE DENIM OVERALLS**, trimmed with Turkey red, sizes 2 to 6 years; regular 79c value. Thursday special ..... **50c**

**BABIES' SILK AND WOOL SHIRTS**, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years; regular \$2.98 value. Thursday special ..... **\$1.00**

**GIRLS' GINGHAM DRESSES**, sizes 6 to 14 years, assorted plaids, made with collar, belt and pockets of contrasting color; regular \$1.69 value. Thursday special, **\$1.39**

**CORSETS**, in medium bust and elastic top, discontinued models; regular \$2.50 value. Thursday special ..... **\$1.50**

**BRASSIERES**, made of heavy cotton, with lace and Hamburg trimming; regular \$1.00 value. Thursday special ..... **69c**

**BANDEAUX**, in flesh and white; regular 50c value. Thursday special ..... **39c**

**WOMEN'S COTTON AND CREPE BLOOMERS**, in white and flesh, some with ruffle or plain hem, reinforced gusset; regular 80c value. Thursday special ..... **49c**

**WOMEN'S BOUDOIR CAPS**, of Jap silk or mercerized striped voile, trimmed with dainty lace and ribbon; regular 80c value. Thursday special ..... **29c**

## Thursday Specials In Smallwares

**COLORITE**, all colors; 25c value. Thursday special ..... **19c**

**ODO-RO-NO**, to stop perspiration; 30c value. Thursday special, **23c**

**ADULTS' TOOTH BRUSHES**, 25c value. Thursday special ..... **17c**

**FACE CHAMOIS**, 10c value. Thursday special, **5c**

**JARDIN DE LILAS FACE POWDER**, \$1.00 value. Thursday special..... **69c**

**WOMEN'S BELTS**, narrow, in patent and dull leather; 59c value. Thursday special ..... **43c**

**SPRING VEILING**, black, blue and taupe; 25c val. Thursday special, **17c**

**WINDSOR TIES**, in green, blue and black; 29c value. Thursday special..... **19c**

**LARGE SIZE SHOPPING BAGS**, in patent leather, with cretonne lining; \$1.95 value. Thursday special ..... **\$1.59**

**WOMEN'S COVER-ALL APRONS** of extra good quality percale in assorted stripes. Neatly made and trimmed. Regular \$1.49 value. Thursday Special..... **98c**

**WOMEN'S BLACK HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS** with wide ruffle of acordion plaiting and diamond shape floral designs. Regular \$1.69 value. Thursday Special ..... **98c**

**BOYS' DARK CORDUROY PANTS** with reinforced seams, sizes 9 to 16 years. Regular \$1.50 value. Thursday Special **98c**

**BOYS' ALL WOOL MIDDY SUITS** in new Spring models, sizes 3 to 8 years. Regular \$7.50 value. Thursday Special **\$5.98**

**ENDICOTT-JOHNSON'S BOYS' SCOUT SHOES** of genuine elkskin with chrome soles. Sizes to 13 1/2. Thursday Special..... **\$1.98**

**CHILDREN'S HIGH CUT SHOES** of brown calf, made on a nature last. Goodyear stitched soles. All sizes to 11. Regular \$2.50 value. Thursday Special **\$1.49**

**ODD LOT OF WOMEN'S LOW SHOES**, in black and tan. Mostly all sizes. Slightly imperfect. Thursday Special..... **98c**

**MEN'S OVERALLS and COATS** in blue and white stripes. Regular \$1.25 value. Thursday Special ..... **79c** Each

**MEN'S BLACK COTTON HALF HOSE**. Regular 19c value. Thursday Special..... **9c**

**MEN'S LISLE SUSPENDERS** with leather ends. Regular 50c value. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND TIES** including ends of lines. Values to 65c. Thursday Special ..... **25c**

**MEN'S HEAVY BROWN WORK SHOES** with two full soles, all solid leather. Sizes 6 to 11. Regular \$3.00 value. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.85**

**WOMEN'S GUN METAL and VICI KID BOOTS** with low and high heels, lace or button, some Goodyear welt. Good assortment of sizes. Values to \$4.00. Thursday Special ..... **\$1.85**

**WOMEN'S HIGH GRADE TWO BUTTON PUMPS** in patent and vici kid, Goodyear welt. All sizes, B to D. Regular \$6.50 value. (Street Floor). Thursday Special ..... **\$3.15**

## CHELMERSFORD HIGH SCHOOL

The following senior class honor lists for the June graduation at the Chelmsford high school have been announced by Principal Lester P. Alden: David Brown, valedictorian; Miss Laura P. Richardson, salutatorian; Helen L. Donahue and Mary J. Kennedy honor poets.

**PERRY BIBLE CLASS**  
About 30 members attended the business meeting of the Perry bible class of St. Paul's M.E. church which was held last evening in the church vestry. A brief business session was held and later an entertainment was given, these taking part being Mrs. Edwin Cleworth, Mrs. Lawrence Jordan and Wesley Bonham. Games were played and refreshments were served.

The war department has so far awarded 75 congressional medals.

China, with ten thousand miles of road, has nearly half the railway mileage of the Orient.

## Ouch! Another Rheumatic Twinge

Get busy and relieve those pains with Sloan's Liniment

WHAT Sloan's does, it does thoroughly—penetrates without rubbing to the affected part and promptly relieves most kinds of external pains and aches. You'll find it handy for sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, over-exerted muscles, stiff joints, backache, pains, bruises, strains, sprains, bad weather after-effects. For 30 years Sloan's Liniment has helped thousands the world over. You aren't likely to be an exception. It certainly does produce results. All druggists—25c, 50c, \$1.49.

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## HUNT ASSASSINS OF PREMIER OF SPAIN

MADRID, March 9.—(By the Associated Press)—Search was continued today for the assassins of Eduardo Dato, premier and minister of marine, who was killed while returning to his home from a late session of the Spanish senate last night. The Count de Bugarra, minister of interior, will act as temporary premier.

All trace of the men who killed the premier was lost in the excitement attending the assassination. Immediately after the shooting the criminals, who were riding in the side car of a motorcycle, sped away and disappeared.

Premier Dato left the senate chamber at 5.30 o'clock and entered his car. The machine was driven through Calle Arrenal to Puerta del Sol, and thence through Calle de Alcala to a motor cycle with a side car carrying two men. He followed the premier's motor unnoticed, there being many other sim-

ilar machines on the streets. When the premier's car had reached Plaza Independencia, near his home, the motorcycle increased its speed and approached the side of the automobile. At that point the streets are quite dark, as a large park borders on the right side of the plaza.

When the motorcycle had drawn up even with the automobile, the two men in the side car and the driver of the machine opened fire upon the premier. 21 shots being discharged. The whole tragedy was enacted in a few moments, and as the last shot rang out the motorcycle swung into a side street and vanished.

The driver of the premier's car, hearing the firing, increased his speed, but the premier shouted "I am wounded, stop the car." The chauffeur found the premier wounded about the head, but able to speak. He said he believed he was badly hurt. The driver leaped to his seat and drove to a dispensary nearby, where first aid was administered. Severe Dato was conscious when taken from the automobile, but collapsed in a few minutes and died while at the dispensary. He had three wounds in the back of his head. His car was riddled with bullets.

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## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

## BOXING AND WRESTLING RALLY IN LAST PERIOD

## BRINGS LOWELL VICTORY

Fine Cards Arranged by  
Crescent A. A. and American Legion

Tomorrow night Billy Duffy of Everett, who has been making rapid strides as the pugilistic leader of the country and it is expected that he will appear in one of the most important matches of his career when he clashes with Jimmy Duffy of New York in the main event at the Crescent A. A.

The New York Duffy, who has been at the game for several years has met about all the leading lightweights and many of the best welterweights in the country and it is expected that he will be bound to be kept busy with attractive offers.

The Everett lad only recently jumped into the current event class, while the New Yorker has been fighting main events for the past five years. The "big town" Duffy is out to maintain his standing and will employ all his well known aggressive ability to win in front when the final bell rings.

Billy Murphy of Lowell, who fought a wonderful bout here a year ago when he won over Al Diamond, will return on a tomorrow night, meeting Young McDonough of Boston in an eight round number. Young Christo of Lowell and Mike Malla of Boston will appear in another eight round event.

**Fine Wrestling Card**  
The wrestling card announced by the Lowell team of the American Legion for the last night on Friday night is one of the most attractive ever arranged for a local show. Four bouts, all hummers, are on the schedule and lovers of the strenuous game are looking forward to a high class entertainment.

Gardini, the Italian champion, who is the possessor of a handsome belt, the title of the king of Italy is the most notable personage on the program. He only recently gave Strangler Lewis a hard battle in Boston, forcing the champion to work for almost two hours before he was able to win. The fight was a real one and the two men were planned to the mat. Gardini will be pitted against Al Hassan, the Turkish grappler. Jim Prokos of Lowell and Paul Roman of Boston will meet in another eight round number.

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Guillemot, Star Runner, Now

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**DRIVING CLUB SETS DATE FOR FAIR**  
The Lowell Driving Club decided on Aug. 25 and 26 as the date of its proposed fair at its meeting last evening. Various phases of the coming event were discussed and several committees to look after different arrangements were appointed. Farmers and cattle breeders of the surrounding towns as well as the various fringe organizations were invited to send an endeavor to secure their assistance in making the project a success. Resolutions were adopted on the merits of Dr. Amasa Howard and Caleb L. Smith, both former members of the organization.

**LOWELL GAIIC ATHLETIC CLUB**  
The Lowell Gaelic Athletic association will meet tomorrow evening in the quarters of the Trades and Labor council in Middle street to complete arrangements for the relief drive to be held in Hibernian hall March 10. All members having coupon books are asked to make returns tomorrow evening so that the committee in charge may have a complete report by Easter Monday.

**LOWELL GAS LIGHT BOWLING LEAGUE**  
The eight teams of the Lowell Gas Light Bowling League met on the hotel tables last evening. The scores were as follows:

Chemical Dept.—Pearson 274, Hall 246, Flynn 261, Manning 245, Crimmins 245, totals 1226.  
Repair Dept.—Connors 250, Holand 243, Bradbury 264, Mulno 273, Rourke 245, totals 1219.  
Jobbing Dept.—Brennan 265, Farley 238, Kelley 276, Leboards 268, Turner 315, totals 1360.  
Meter Shop—Peters 228, McQuinn 250, McQuinn 240, Conley 238, Donahue 237, totals 1292.  
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**GOLF CLUB MEETING**  
The Pleasant Golf Club holds Annual Meeting—Work of Organization Reviewed—Officers Elected  
Members of the Mt. Pleasant Golf Club held their 11th annual meeting in Page's restaurant last evening. The affair was attended by about 100 members and all spent a most enjoyable evening. The evening's festivities were presided over by President William H. Wilson, who briefly reviewed the work of the organization during the past year. George G. R. Hathaway, treasurer, James S. Gannon and Walter Jewett, Henry Reynolds, chairman of the tournament committee, made the presentation of prizes as follows: Gillespie Five, 23 to 40 our only defeat of the season was when the Pleasant of Franklin beat us 13 to 12 in an overtime game. In this game Jones, our forward, sustained a fractured leg. I came to the conclusion that the club's losing through the year is the only way to obtain results. The past week I have had some ally to work. We have no game for this week, and would like to hear from any of the following: The C.M.A.C., C.Y.M.L., Sacred Hearts, O.M.I. Cadets, or any other local five.  
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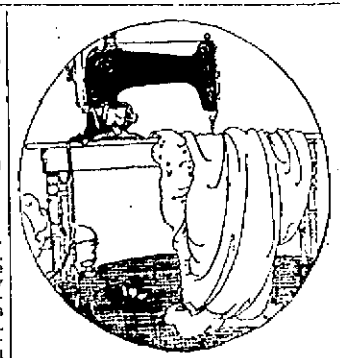
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The Apollo trio, consisting of Frank Cummings, Charles Clancy and Louis Le Clair furnished a very enjoyable program of entertainment.

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Sporting Editor of the Sun:  
I would like a little space on your sporting page to publish my challenge. As manager of the Harvard Club, I would like to put my boys against any of the fast teams around the city. Having played four games so far this season and only losing one, I don't think we have much to fear. We played the Rangers of Roxbury, and defeated them by the score of 16 to 12, beat the Lawrence Independents, 17 to 6, and the Chelsea Five, 23 to 10, our only defeat of the season was when the Pleasant of Franklin beat us 13 to 12 in an overtime game. In this game Jones, our forward, sustained a fractured leg. I came to the conclusion that the club's losing through the year is the only way to obtain results. The past week I have had some ally to work. We have no game for this week, and would like to hear from any of the following: The C.M.A.C., C.Y.M.L., Sacred Hearts, O.M.I. Cadets, or any other local five.

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DAVIS LEAVES FOR U. S. TREATY WITH COLOMBIA

Retiring U. S. Ambassador to Great Britain Leaves London on Way Home

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SAFE ROADS WEEK

State Federation Seeks Co-operation of City Heads

The Safe Roads Federation of Massachusetts has asked the mayors of the state to unite with it in a general observance of April 29 as Safe Roads week.

AUSTRIA TOLD TO FULFILL TREATY PROVISIONS

VIENNA, March 8.—Notice that it would be required to fulfill the provisions of the treaty of St. Germain was served upon the Austrian government by the reparations commission today. This involves the delivery to Italy, Yugoslavia and Rumania of 20,000 head of cattle, including 6000 milk cows.

SEC. HUGHES STUDIES FOREIGN POLICY

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Questions affecting foreign policy are being carefully studied by Secretary Hughes, but no definite statement will be made until the matter is settled.

STABBING AFFRAY CASE CONTINUED

The case of James Rallis, charged with stabbing Mrs. Stavoulas Galarakis during a fracas in front of her residence at 234 West 12th street, was continued to March 23, when it was stated that the victim of the trouble is still at the Lowell Corporation hospital.

FOR 44-HOUR WEEK IN PRINTING SHOPS

MONTREAL, March 8.—Adoption of the 44-hour week in all commercial printing shops in the United States and Canada, effective on May 1, is demanded in a resolution adopted here at the printers' industrial conference.

NOMINATIONS BY PRES. HARDING

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Three assistant secretaries of the treasury, S. Parker Gilbert, Jr., of Bloomfield, N. J., Edwin L. Goddard, of New York, and Nicholas P. Callahan, of New York, were nominated today by President Harding.

FINED FOR ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR

John Stannus, proprietor of a store located at Moody and Prince streets, paid a \$100 fine for illegal sale of liquor today in the police court.

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STOCK MARKET

\$50,000,000 INCREASE In Volume of Business Done By American Sugar Refining Co. in 1920

NEW YORK, March 8.—The stock market was apathetic at the opening today with an irregularly lower trend of prices. Selling pressure again centered in shipbuilding, food and copper shares. United Fruit soon lost 1 1/2 points and Atlantic Gulf and Crucible Steel forfeited one point each. American Sugar reacted, evidently in anticipation of an adverse annual statement. The only noteworthy gain was a one-point rally in Standard Oil. Stocks were hesitant, trading's moderate also being offset by the heaviness of minor issues, including New Orleans, Texas & Mexico.

MURDERED IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

PAWTUCKET, March 8.—Barney Stepanian, 46 years old, of 191 East Pawtucket, was murdered at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon on Central avenue. The victim was shot in his back by a man who took flight in his car.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Members of the supreme court headed by Chief Justice White were received by President and Mrs. Harding today in the Blue Room. The call was in accordance with long established custom by which the justices pay their respects to each new president.

JANE NOVAK TO WED BILL HART

LOS ANGELES, March 8.—William S. Hart, the idol of juvenile movie fans, who is to retire from the screen at the end of this month, is to marry Jane Novak, the screen actress who has appeared opposite him in many of his successes. The wedding was held last night.

BACK FROM CANADA

Mrs. Elmiere Dupont of 783 Moody street and Mrs. Joseph Garipis of Pelham, N. H., have returned from a pleasant three-week trip to Canada. In the course of which they visited relatives at Montreal, Trois Rivières, Quebec and Gogana and Toronto, Ont. At Gogana the women were the guests of Mrs. Dupont's brother, Mr. Hilary Walsh, and her son, Mr. George Walsh.

RAILROAD TO CUT SALARIES AND WAGES

PHILADELPHIA, March 8.—The directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad today announced that they had decided to cut the salaries and wages of officers and employees to accord with economic conditions.

STEAL BEST OF "MARK TWAIN"

HARTFORD, Conn., March 8.—The theft of a bust of Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) from in front of his former home was learned of here today. The bust, which was found in the city of Hartford, was stolen from the city of Hartford.

ARMISTICE IN EFFECT

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The armistice concluded between Panama and Costa Rica at the insistence of the United States has been put in full effect along the entire frontier, according to information communicated to the state department today by the Panamanian legation.

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**FORD SEES IMPROVEMENT**

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"Different conditions will prevail after the readjustment that follows the war," he said. "There will be more economy in every way, but the volume of business will continually grow."

"The condition which is just passing now ought to do more for world peace and disarmament," Mr. Ford continued, "than all the writing and speech-making and parading in the world. The war brought on a false prosperity; what has followed the war has been a false peace."

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HOW WILSON SPENT SPECIAL WAR FUND

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ALLEGED ABDUCTION CASE CONTINUED

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